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Welcome to Legend Rare Coin Auctions' Regency Auction XV, being held Thursday, December 17th at The Venetian Las Vegas in conjunction with the PCGS Members Only Show.

We are proud to present what is by far our largest and most diverse offering since the founding of Legend Rare Coin Auctions over three years ago. The 477 lots assembled in this sale represent what our sales have come to be known for - outstanding quality, extraordinary rarities, and the freshest of coins.

This auction includes some incredible rarities ranging from a 1793 Lettered Edge Wreath Cent PCGS MS64BN CAC, to a small but spectacular group of DMPL Morgan Dollars, to a wonderful offering of gold rarities. We also have some killer toned Morgans, as has now come to be expected in our Regency Auctions. There are highlights abound in all price ranges. It took a great deal of work to put together this spectacular sale. The auction has been thoroughly vetted by the world-class numismatists from Legend Numismatics, with more than 80 coins rejected. So know that you can bid in this and all our sales with the highest level of confidence.

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We wish you and yours a wonderful holiday season! Enjoy the auction and best of luck bidding.

Warmest regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "Julie Abrams", with a stylized, flowing script.

Julie Abrams

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PRINCIPALS



Laura Sperber
Partner

Laura was raised in Highland Park, NJ. During high school, the coin bug hit her hard. Her trip to the 1976 NYC ANA left a lasting mark and huge desire for her to own and handle the greatest rarities. While attending Monmouth University, Laura attended coin shows more than classes. After college, she started LSS RCI, a wholesale coin company. In 1986, she realized the need for a “better” coin retailer and teamed up in 1986 with George Huang to form Legend Numismatics.

In 1996 Bruce Morelan became a partner and since then Legend has exclusively built or assisted in assembling this generation’s greatest collections. In 2012 Laura saw the need for a smaller, boutique auction firm, and created Legend-Morphy with Dan Morphy, whom she split with in 2014. Today, Laura is also a leading consumer advocate for coins. The passion has never subsided, and she keeps a beautiful Proof Walker on her desk to this day.



Bruce Morelan
Partner

Bruce started collecting coins when he was only six years old and by the time he was in high school his dream was to be a coin dealer. But life intervened and instead, Bruce went into business. By chance, he became Legend Numismatics’ financial backer in 1996. His great grandmother had given him three coins when he was young, one of which being a Trade Dollar, so he set out to build the finest Trade Dollar set. After a few years with ultra rarities, Bruce returned to his love of dollars and completed both a set of Gobrechts and a set of Seated Dollars.

After selling those sets, Bruce recently returned to dollars with a new Gobrecht set and a spectacular early dollar set capped by his dream coin, the Amon Carter 1794 Dollar. Not many collectors can say they have completed not only the finest 1794-1885 Dollar Sets and have over the years owned such coins as two 1913 Liberty Head Nickels, an 1894-S Dime, 1876-CC Twenty Cent piece, 1827 Original and Restrike Quarters, 1838-O Half Dollar, two 1885 Trade Dollars and four 1884 Trade Dollars!



Julie Abrams
President

Julie Abrams started in numismatics in 1986 when she joined up with Bernard Rome and launched Teletrade, the first computerized auction company. Teletrade developed a unique coin trading method, utilizing state-of-the-art digitized voice board technology to run live auctions before the advent of the internet. As President of Teletrade, Julie helped expand the company, increasing the frequency of auctions and expanding annual sales to \$24 million within a few years. In 1999, GMAI, a publicly traded company, purchased Teletrade and Ms. Abrams became Executive Vice President of Sales for the parent company. Her job responsibilities included continuing her role as CEO for Teletrade as well as marketing to buyers and consignors, with the goal of maintaining a balance between inventory and sales while growing the business.

In 2004 she joined Stacks-Bowers, an old world traditional auction house where she worked to expand their e-commerce presence, including the development of an online bidding platform for the firm. She also marketed Stacks’ programs to secure consignments from dealers and institutions such as banks, museums and universities.

Julie is a member of the American Numismatic Association, the Central States Numismatic Association and Florida United Numismatists.

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LOT 1

1/2C 1793 PCGS AU58
EX TROY WISEMAN COLLECTION



LOT 1

1/2C 1793 PCGS AU58 EX TROY WISEMAN COLLECTION

C-1. Periods after AMERICA and CENT. Mahogany brown throughout, with a bold strike that managed to bring up all of Miss Liberty's curls and the leaves on the wreath. This is a slightly later die state of this variety with the central reverse starting to sink, but the letters of HALF CENT are still present although weaker than the surrounding devices. It is generally believed that this was the first die pairing produced of this new denomination, struck in July of 1793. The similarity to the 1793 Chain Cent with "periods" is unmistakable and these dies were certainly engraved with these unique features that did not appear after this time. This was the first appearance of this denomination from the Philadelphia Mint, and production was modest. Furthermore the design was changed in 1794 so these 1793 Half Cents remain a single year type coin, adding more pressure on those that survive. High grade examples like this have been in feverish demand for generations.

Examination will notice a few small and shallow planchet fissures on both sides, but these are not distracting and are the natural result of the early Mint process for rolling out the copper to make planchets. A trio of shallow nicks are found above the E of UNITED and these also serve to hallmark this important specimen. The number that survive of this issue are modest, especially if a high grade piece is desired. This one is destined for a high grade collection where it will hold its place of honor for years to come.

PCGS 18, NGC 15. The most recent auction price includes one at \$47,000.00 (4/14) for this grade, but that coin has CAC approval. If you have been seeking an example of this prized issue, make sure to pursue the present offering as it may be a few years until another becomes available.

PCGS # 1000 | EST: \$37,500.00+



LOT 2

1/2C 1800 C-1 PCGS MS64RB CAC EX MISSOURI CABINET COLLECTION

Amazing quality and eye appeal for an 1800 half cent! The faded Mint red is still quite evident and both sides are even and attractive with their faded Mint color with bluish steel brown. Free of any troubling specks or spots, the color is a wholesome delight. Furthermore the surfaces show only a few tiny nicks and handling marks, far fewer than one would expect for a half cent from this early era. A thin strikethrough line above the bust tip serves to identify this amazing coin. Middle die state, Manley state 3.0. There was a small hoard of these that came out for the 1980 ANA Convention, but this coin was not from that group as it was in the Col. E. H. R. Green holdings in the 1930s.

The quality of the planchets used to strike most 1800 half cents is high. The planchets were provided by Boulton & Watt, the famous English inventors and suppliers of planchets. Once struck most of the half cents were soon in circulation, so finding a Mint State coin, especially one with original Mint color is quite extraordinary. This particular one is pictured on the CoinFacts website with its extensive provenance noted as well.

Notably from Howard Rounds Newcomb and soon B. Max Mehl in 1935; to Col. E. H. R. Green Collection; appraised by F. C. C. Boyd in the Green Estate for \$5 on August 9, 1937; sold for \$4 in April 1943 to the Eric P. Newman and B.G. Johnson partnership; Eric P. Newman and his Education Foundation; Missouri Cabinet; Missouri Cabinet Collection Auction, Goldbergs, January, 2014, lot 49 at \$46,000.00

PCGS 3, NGC 0, CAC 1. None are graded finer but there are two reported as MS63RD by PCGS. This is certainly well up in the Condition Census for the date and technically one of the finest to survive, especially so with this much residual Mint red remaining.

PCGS # 35120 | EST: \$42,500.00+

LOT 3

1/2C 1806 C-4 LARGE 6 STEMS PCGS MS64RB CAC

Tied with a five others as the finest seen in the RB category for this popular date and variety. The color is especially attractive with ample red mixed with moderate fading. The copper surfaces are rock hard and free of any detracting corrosion or heavy carbon spots.

Precious few 1806 half cents look this good today! If you demand quality and exceptional visual appeal, you have to check out this lot! The reverse die was rotated about 30 degrees clockwise when this one was struck, as commonly seen.

PCGS 6, NGC 11, CAC 7. We sold a close match to this one for \$11,500.00 (12/13) and this one should do even better given the demand for top quality half cents. An opportunity to set aside a really great coin.

PCGS # 35201 | EST: \$9,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.





LOT 4

1/2C 1849 SMALL DATE ORIGINAL PCGS PR65BN CAC EX MISSOURI CABINET COLLECTION

The entire coin is toned with a uniform light brown hue that flashes with blue and green accents within the fields. Free of spots or specks, which keeps the eye appeal and technical grade high for this rare issue. About twelve to fifteen are known today and this is one of the finer examples both technically as well as for eye appeal. The strike is full and sharp on all the devices and there is a towering wire rim on the upper portion of the obverse. For identification there is a tiny planchet flake in the middle of the lower right obverse field.

PCGS 2, NGC 0, CAC 2. None are seen finer!
This same coin sold for \$48,300.00 (1/14) the last time it crossed the auction block. Not only is the quality outstanding, but so is the eye appeal.
Unsurpassed! Good luck!

PCGS # 1302 | EST: \$35,000.00+

LOT 5

1C 1793 CHAIN AMERI. PCGS G04

OGH S-1. This is one of the most sought-after early Large Cents as it has unending popularity as the first issue struck by the Philadelphia Mint for general circulation (although the 1792 Half Disme it truly the first). The engraver that made the reverse die abbreviated AMERICA to AMERI, placing a period at the end. This apparently caused by poor spacing of the letters. The surfaces are moderately rough as commonly seen on early copper, but the color is a pleasant dark brown. All of the devices are clear, including the date, which is often weak, and Miss Liberty's head and the reverse chain. One old fissure exists on the obverse, crossing down Miss Liberty's head through the B down along the back of her curls, and this fissure was caused during the planchet making process. One must recall that these were some of the first coins struck at the Mint and each process from melting down the metal to rolling and cutting planchets had to be learned step by step by employees that likely had minimal experience with making coins. Thus such items as this fissure are part of the charm of the earliest days at the Mint, and these are historic reminders of the many challenges facing each of the employees of this new venture.

The AMERI Chain Cents were struck in late February into early March 1793. Sadly, the public did not like this first design, and cries went out to change the motifs. "Liberty in Chains" was heard in reference to the reverse which shows the thirteen colonies represented by a central chain device, with each link formed to represent one of the original colonies. Only a few dies were prepared of the Flowing Hair, Chain reverse design, and production was quite limited. A new style of 1793 cent was launched with a wreath reverse only a few months after these first appeared. Today, collectors work tirelessly to find a nice example of these Chain Cents, and most of those that do survive have significant problems. Thus, it is nice to be able to offer a nicer than usual example of this prized die variety, and one that is highly collectible!

PCGS 7, NGC 2. There is a recent auction record for a PCGS G06 coin at \$9,400.00 (9/15) which makes a favorable comparison to this historic coin. After all, there are only 200 or so of these in existence, and as noted most have considerable surface issues and these are rarely found struck on a smooth copper planchet.

PCGS # 1340 | EST: \$20,000.00+





LOT 6

1C 1793 WREATH LETTERED EDGE
PCGS MS64BN CAC



LOT 6

1C 1793 WREATH LETTERED EDGE PCGS MS64BN CAC

S-11c. This is the Lettered Edge with a Single Leaf and is tied with one other as the finest known of the type 1793 Wreath Cents. The color is perfectly even and light tan throughout, handling marks are virtually none, and for identification there is a minor planchet flake, which remains attached, above the TA of STATES. As to the strike, it is sharp and complete, with bold definition on Liberty's curls as well as the finer veins on the leaves. The centering is excellent and the planchet is nearly as wholesome as any seen, save for a few minute imperfections located on the reverse. Exceptional eye appeal not only for the color and surfaces, but for the overall presentation.

In 1793 one of the first priorities of the newly opened Philadelphia Mint was to get coins into circulation. While the original bonding requirements for the Mint's employees delayed precious metal production of silver and gold, there was no restriction on copper, so the first focus of production were these large cents and soon half cents, both struck in 1793. The initial large cent design was the Chain reverse, but that did not meet with public favor, so that design was changed after a few short months to this Wreath design.

That too met with disfavor with the public, and for the third time in 1793 entirely new designs were created, the Liberty Cap design, and those finally lasted more than a few months, continuing until mid 1796. Hence type, date and historical collectors all seek out these 1793 cents and there are few available, especially if a high grade Mint State coin is desired. Thankfully one collector will be more than satisfied with this stellar example, with its regal surfaces and finely struck devices.

This coin first appeared in the Dr. Charles Clay Collection, sold by Woodward and Stobridge, 12/1871; ...

PCGS 2, NGC 1, CAC 2. The other PCGS MS64BN example of the Lettered Edge variety Wreath Cent was auctioned for \$270,250.00 (8/14). This coin is even nicer in our opinion and should bring more today. If you demand the very finest of this major type with the Lettered Edge then here it is. Good luck!

PCGS # 1350 | EST: \$275,000.00+



LOT 7

1C 1793 LIBERTY CAP PCGS F12

S-13. This is far and away the most difficult of the three styles of Large Cents struck in 1793. These Liberty Cap coins were the final style change that year and finally the public liked this change. Coinage continued until 1796 of the Liberty Cap design and here is one of the nicer examples that survived, nice enough to earn its place in a graded holder. The surfaces have scattered light roughness and for identification there is a shallow scratch down through Liberty's cap into the field below. The color is a medium dark steel brown with a few patches of lighter brown on the lower reverse tucked into the wreath.

PCGS has graded about 120 of these in all grades. While many more survive the majority have more significant surface issues such as environmental damage or heavy surface marks. Finding an example of the 1793 Liberty Cap that is nice enough to be graded is quite a challenge! This particular variety is one of the more plentiful issues, but that's quite relative to the ponderous rarity of the other varieties. The obverse is identified by the I in LIBERTY being centered beneath two border beads, and the reverse by a cluster of three leaves below OF, the other known dies show two leaves in this position. On this particular coin the date is clear and sharp, and Miss Liberty's head and hair show smooth copper that is free of detracting marks.

PCGS 11, NGC 6. A recent auction price for a similar grade coin brought \$29,900.00 (8/12) and that may have been a tougher variety. An important date or variety representative for the specialist!

PCGS # 1359 | EST: \$25,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 8

1C 1819 SMALL DATE PCGS MS62+BN CAC

The color is delightful with medium brown on the obverse and a slightly lighter tan on the reverse. Boldly struck throughout and although the surfaces show a scattering of tiny marks when closely examined, they blend well into the devices. A handsome example of this early Coronet Large Cent.

PCGS 30, NGC 48, CAC 7. This coin is the only PCGS coin listed with the "+" grade at MS62. One recent auction record hit \$999.00 (8/14) for a non CAC approved PCGS MS62 example of this issue.

PCGS # 1606 | EST: \$900.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 10

1C 1834 LARGE 8 SMALL STARS MEDIUM LETTERS N-4 PCGS MS65RB CAC EX NAFTZGER/TWIN LEAF COLLECTION

An outstanding coin that offers exceptional surfaces and a bold strike! The color is a satin smooth light brown with royal blue accents in the fields and the devices are accented by traces of original Mint color. As commonly seen on coins from this period, Miss Liberty's profile is slightly doubled, which is caused during the striking process and is entirely normal. This is undoubtedly one of the finer examples to survive and a coin that has extraordinary appeal.

PCGS 6, NGC 0, CAC 2. The most recent sale of a PCGS MS65RB at auction brought \$5,750.00 (6/10). This particular coin has a sterling pedigree, coming from the Elder Sale of June 30, 1926, lot 1782; to Henry C. Hines then William H. Sheldon; later it was in the Floyd Starr Collection, Stack's, June 13, 1984, lot 288. A grand opportunity to add your name to this illustrious pedigree!

PCGS # 37039 | EST: \$6,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 9

1C 1822 PCGS MS64BN CAC

Gorgeous, satin smooth surfaces exude originality! The color is wonderfully uniform with deep mahogany brown and a few minor toning specks. The strike is sharp on the central devices and all the stars have at least partial, if not full--radial lines. The reverse is also satin smooth and attractive, with outstanding eye appeal and rich tawny brown shades.

PCGS 20, NGC 7, CAC 5. The most recent auction result for this date and grade did not have CAC approval, but brought \$3,819.00 (7/13) which is a little dated for the copper market. It all comes down to eye appeal, and here is one with ample qualifications. Good luck!

PCGS # 1624 | EST: \$3,600.00+



LOT 11

1C 1841 N-7 PCGS MS65RB CAC EX TWIN LEAF COLLECTION

Amazing for the amount of Mint red that remains on the obverse and reverse! Rarely do these early Braided Hair Cents retain more than a hint of original red, and finding one with great color and outstanding surfaces is truly a feast for the eye. The strike is bold on the central devices as well as the wreath, although some of the stars lack their full radial lines. This is the early to middle die state for this variety. From Superior's Pre-Long Beach Auction, February 24, 2003, lot 290 and then to the Twin Leaf Collection.

PCGS 4, NGC 3, CAC 3. The most recent reported auction price for this date and grade is \$5,031.00 (9/11) and this handsome coin should bring even more. The color is simply stunning, and any collector lucky enough to obtain this coin will spend considerable time just gazing at this remarkable survivor.

PCGS # 405810 | EST: \$5,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 12

1C 1847 PCGS MS66BN CAC

Satin tan over residual traces of Mint red greet the eye when examined under a light. This one is on par with the legendary Naftzger cents, with flawless surfaces and no issues of any kind. Even the luster is unbroken. Every tiny nuance of the design is crisp, especially on Miss Liberty. A fabulous Braided Hair Cent offering great color, surfaces and appeal to any collector.

PCGS 10, NGC 26, CAC 5. We last sold this coin for \$6,168.00 (2/15) and are pleased to be able to offer it again since the collector who purchased it has changed numismatic directions.

PCGS # 1877 | EST: \$4,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 13

1C 1847 PCGS MS66BN CAC

Glorious faded Mint red is noted on both sides, with spot free surfaces as well. Boldly repunched on the date to the left, with all four digits showing this feature. All of Miss Liberty's curls are sharp, even the stars show their radial lines, and the reverse is crisp too. Examination finds little to fault this splendid coin, which combines all the attributes collectors can desire. Make sure to view this one to adjust your bid higher!

PCGS 10, NGC 26, CAC 5. A close match to the one we sold earlier this year for \$6,168.00 (2/15). This one may not have quite as much red, but offers a sharper strike. Good luck!

PCGS # 1877 | EST: \$4,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 14

1C 1854 PCGS MS65RD CAC

If you love RD Large Cents then here is one for the record books.

These are so seldom found with full Mint color that it is indeed memorable when one crosses our desks. The obverse and reverse offer full blazing Mint red and dazzling cartwheel luster. There is no fading of color intensity, and the only area that shows any visual change from storage is atop the E of ONE, which has a rich blue shade along with traces on other letters in the center of the reverse. Of course the surfaces and fields are pleasing, with no carbon issues or spots of any kind. While PCGS has graded a modest number with the full Red color, few can match the intensity and luster of the coin offered here.

PCGS 13, NGC 8, CAC 1. There has not been an auction of this date in the RD category for some time, though we do note that an MS66RD example sold for \$16,100.00 (3/05) more than a decade ago, a strong price for that time, but when compared with the quality and color here, this one should be considered a close match to that offering.

PCGS # 1906 | EST: \$4,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 15

1C 1855 UPRIGHT 55 PCGS MS65RD

Vibrant Mint color throughout with no signs of fading beyond a dash of pale blue on the rim and a single small blue speck at the center of the reverse. The strike is reasonably sharp and the surfaces are satin smooth, with no detracting marks or handling issues. If you want booming eye appeal and solid Mint color, then look no further than the present offering! There are precious few, but at least some, original RD Large Cents survived from 160 years ago, and this is one of the finer examples. Destined to be a centerpiece in any advanced collection!

PCGS 82, NGC 36. These tend to sell in the \$3,100.00 price range and up, depending on how intense the red color is, and we're confident this one will bring a solid price commensurate!

PCGS # 1909 | EST: \$4,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 16

1C 1856 UPRIGHT 5 PCGS MS66BN CAC

Exceptional satin surfaces with wholly uniform light tan on the obverse, while the reverse offers traces of faded Mint red blending with tan. The surfaces are exceptional, with little more than a single tick or two from perfection. Free of specks or spots, and the eye appeal is outstanding for any Large Cent. Notice the protrusion from Liberty's neck, this is almost certainly the tip of the serif of the 1 misplaced during the date punching process and this adds collector interest.

PCGS 2, NGC 10, CAC 3. It has been over eight years since a coin at this grade level traded at auction so be prepared to pay up to capture this one. CoinFacts estimates the value at \$2,650.00 and there are no PCGS coins graded higher in the BN category.

PCGS # 1919 | EST: \$1,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 17

1C 1848 N-19 PCGS PR66BN CAC EX TWIN LEAF COLLECTION

This is the sole and finest PCGS Proof 1848 Large Cent in any color category, and a beautifully made Proof. Boldly struck on each of Miss Liberty's fine hair curls, along with stars with their radial center lines, and the fine veins on the leaves of the reverse. The edge is precisely squared off, only seen on these rare Proofs, which in this case includes a partial fin or wire edge on the obverse. The devices are all frosty and contrast with the boldly mirrored fields. In terms of color, both sides exhibit light olive brown mixed with faded Mint red and dashes of violet and blue are noted in the fields.

In terms of rarity, this issue has been widely studied, and while the precise number known of 1848 Proof Large Cents is not at all clear, the numbers are likely in the ten to thirty known range, but importantly this particular coin is the finest seen by PCGS, and is listed as tied with one other for finest in the survey by William Noyes and also in the extensive work done by Denis Loring places this coin places it as tied for finest with one other example. What is clear, is that if you want a high-end gem Proof 1848 Large Cent, there are not many to choose from, and this incredible example is clearly one of the very finest.

Ex: Howard R. Newcomb; J. C. Morganthau and Co., May 1945, lot 745; Floyd T. Starr, Abe Kosoff, 1949 ANA, lot 1843, Willard C. Blaisdell; Roy E. Naftzger, Jr., Paramount, Auction '86, lot 1536; R. Tettenhorst, the Twin Leaf Collection, Stack's-Bowers, July 16, 2015, lot 2478.

PCGS 1, NGC 1, CAC 1. A resoundingly beautiful Proof cent, and one is hard to place a value on.

Simply stated, this coin will be desired by many people, but only one can come home with it from the auction. This piece last brought \$35,250.00 (7/15).

PCGS # 1973 | EST: \$30,000.00+

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LOT 18

1C 1858 SMALL LETTERS PCGS MS64 CAC

Classic light tan mixed with brighter flashes of original Mint patina in the protected areas of this handsome Flying Eagle Cent. The surfaces are original with scattered areas of light patina. This short-lived type coin was issued in very small numbers in late 1856 and finally launched with vigor in 1857. However, the design was quickly changed in 1859 with the introduction of the new Indian Cent, and demand for the still popular Flying Eagle Cents continues to grow. High-end Mint State coins are always in strong demand, especially when found so original and attractive.

PCGS 316, NGC 286, CAC 51. A recent offering of a PCGS MS64 example of this date brought \$1,645.00 (8/15) but did not have CAC approval. This handsome CAC piece should bring more today.

PCGS # 2020 | EST: \$950.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 19

1C 1887 PCGS MS66+RD CAC

Fiery Mint color throughout with glistening luster and extraordinary quality. The eye appeal is towering for an Indian Cent, and these are rarely found so well preserved with the original Mint color intact. Free of fly specks or carbon, and the strike is bold on all devices. A thoroughly impressive jewel!

PCGS 24, NGC 4, CAC 4. There are no auction records for any of the three reported "+" coins certified by PCGS, the finest graded are MS67RD and one of those sold for \$34,500.00 at the depths of the market crash in April 2009, CoinFacts estimates the MS66+ coins to be worth \$17,000.00 and that seems reasonable.

PCGS # 2159 | EST: \$15,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.





LOT 20

1C 1888 PCGS MS64RB CAC

Attractive, light golden tan with ample Mint color remaining with a pleasing blend of olive settling in on the high points. The surfaces are outstanding and free of specks or spots, while the toning that has formed shows the usual wood grain pattern with bright steel blue accents on the high points. Scarce and desirable!

PCGS 38, NGC 69, CAC 9. The most recent auction price for a coin without CAC approval landed on \$999.00 (4/15) and this example should bring even more. A solid example for the collector!

PCGS # 2167 | EST: \$200.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 21

1C 1901 PCGS MS67RD CAC

You simply can't beat this coin's wonderful qualities! The original surfaces are satiny smooth and very clean overall. Through the use of a strong loupe you can detect only a microscopic fleck and toning dot. A strong luster shows off original gem Mint red. All of the details are lightly frosted and have crisp, sharp strikes. The eye appeal is great!

PCGS 4, NGC 2, CAC 2. Although it's hard to believe, no PCGS pieces have ever sold at auction, a powerful statement about this coin's rarity. The current Collectors Universe value is \$22,500.00. We expect fierce bidding from Indian Cent specialists! Good luck!

PCGS # 2210 | EST: \$15,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 22

1C 1908-S PCGS MS66+RD CAC

This is one of the key dates to the series, and here is the second finest example that PCGS has certified with the RD designation. The original mintage of 1,115,000 pieces allowed for a number to survive, but not like this! For today it's all about quality and where a coin stands in the pecking order. If you want one at the top, you have to pay a lot more! The color is outstanding, with orange-red throughout, booming luster, and no signs of fading. It is simply a majestic example!

PCGS 45, NGC 25, CAC 7. This is the only example with the "+" from PCGS! This coin has never sold at auction and there is a lone MS67RD which could easily bring \$50,000.00!

PCGS # 2234 | EST: \$10,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 23

1C 1876 PCGS PR65RB

Fiery purple and teal hues dominate both sides of this well preserved specimen. The mirror fields are free of handling detractions, and the devices are bold and satiny. This is a highly appealing coin for the grade.

PCGS 55, NGC 47. A recent auction price for a similar but less colorful coin brought \$1,410.00 (8/15). This one with its fiery blue and crimson shades should bring even more.

PCGS # 2316 | EST: \$1,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 24

1C 1877 PCGS PR65RB CAC

OGH. This is the key date to the series, and demand has always been high from collectors as there are so few Mint State coins to go around, hence gem Proofs like this have long served to represent this prized issue. The mintage was a scant 900 pieces for the year, and from that modest group you can imagine how few gems survive—especially so with this degree of Mint color remaining! This one is virtually red with just minor fading on both sides and glorious golden rose accents in the fields. A few tiny specks from an even higher grade, and a coin with stunning visual appeal!

PCGS 72, NGC 69, CAC 21. The estimated price on CoinFacts is \$6,500.00 and this example should bring more for its top quality and glowing Mint hues.

PCGS # 2319 | EST: \$6,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 25

1C 1883 PCGS PR66RB CAC

Fantastic colors with the obverse showing fiery orange-red with a hint of blue and reverse offers up streaks of blue and violet between vibrant brick red for the balance. The watery fields are handsomely preserved the eye appeal is jaw-dropping! If you want a great color coin, then look no further than this amazing Indian Cent.

PCGS 40, NGC 38, CAC 8. A similar CAC approved example at this grade level sold at auction for \$1,646.00 (6/15) so this should bring that or more with its more intense color.

PCGS # 2337 | EST: \$1,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 26

1C 1885 PCGS PR66RB CAC EX LARRY SHEPHERD COLLECTION

Exceptionally bright with a dash of violet on the reverse, but bright gold and frosty on the devices, while the fields are seductively smooth and reflective. Free of detracting specks, and the toning is light and just starting to form on the obverse, a bit more advanced on the reverse. Vibrant appeal!

PCGS 48, NGC 52, CAC 13. A similar CAC approved, but much less intense example at this grade level commanded \$1,058.00 (10/15) and this one should bring more for the brightness and exemplary color.

PCGS # 2343 | EST: \$1,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 27

1C 1885 PCGS PR67RB CAC EX LARRY SHEPHERD COLLECTION

Satin tan over residual traces of Mint red greet the eye when Extraordinary bright rose red with violet accents on the high points of the obverse and reverse. The surfaces are essentially perfect, free of specks or spots, and offering watery reflectivity against the frosted devices. There are only a handful that qualify at this grade level, and close in quality to the absolute finest seen at PR68 of this date.

PCGS 22, NGC 10, CAC 3. The CoinFacts price is \$4,000.00 and that is probably about right for this visually stunning coin. If you love eye appeal, superb quality and a dash of violet on your Indian Cents, this is one for you to pursue. A splendid offering!

PCGS # 2343 | EST: \$3,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 28

1C 1898 PCGS PR66RB CAC

Fiery rose red with a dash of blue and violet dominate the obverse and reverse of this gorgeous gem Proof Indian Cent. The surfaces are as perfect as one could hope to find, with nary a nick or speck from careless storage. Clearly one of the finer examples to survive today!

PCGS 26, NGC 27, CAC 8. The most recent auction price was for a coin without CAC approval which hit \$1,293.00 (2/14), but lacked the stunning shades attendant to this example.

PCGS # 2382 | EST: \$1,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 29

1C 1901 PCGS PR66RD DCAM CAC

Incredibly deep mirrors beam from all over with tremendous clarity, cleanliness, and reflectivity. The color is a original full gem Mint red with highlights of gold. You can see some tiny, scattered toning dots with a strong loupe. Every detail is thickly frosted and exhibits a needle sharp strike.

The eye appeal is stunning!

PCGS 3, NGC 0, CAC 2. This piece is tied for finest graded at PCGS, and while there is no auction record, a PCGS non CAC piece sold for \$2,585.00 (1/13) and the current Collectors Universe value is \$3,500.00. We expect strong bidding on this flashy coin!

PCGS # 82392 | EST: \$3,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 30

1C 1902 PCGS PR67BN EX LARRY SHEPHERD COLLECTION

Neon violet and royal blue spans both sides of this elegant superb gem! The fields offer watery reflectivity with rich and deep shades while the frosted devices are more colorful, with contrasting jewel tones to dazzle any eye. This one is simply incredible! Take a look and see.

PCGS 1, NGC 2. This is the sole PR67BN graded by PCGS and it is pictured as the best representative of the date by CoinFacts on their website for the BN category. An amazing coin!

PCGS # 2393 | EST: \$4,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 31

1C 1912-D PCGS MS66RD

One of the finest examples of this date and Mint to survive, especially so with the full RD designation from PCGS! The strike is bold on all the peripheral letters as well as on Lincoln's hair, surface marks are infinitesimal at best and carbon traces are faint. The color is a vibrant copper-rose shade with white accents, and is certain to please any specialist. All these early mintmarked dates with full red color at the gem or finer level are rare in the Lincoln Cent series. The 1912-D is especially so!

PCGS 20, NGC 6. The most recent example auctioned that compares well to this one hit \$8,238.00 (9/14) and this one should do as well or better today. A pristine, boldly struck prize that will always bring a smile to your face!

**PCGS # 2455 | EST: \$8,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.**



LOT 32

1C 1912-S PCGS MS65RD CAC

Exceptionally bright and lustrous, with uniform bright copper color throughout. The strike is reasonably sharp with only a few areas showing minor softness near the periphery, typical of even the sharpest of the San Francisco cents. There are no spots, but there is a hint of a faded fingerprint on the upper obverse and on the reverse, which is just a shadow and not that detracting.

Scarce this nice!

PCGS 78, NGC 24, CAC 6. You can see how tough this date is to find with CAC approval! We sold a similar example, without CAC approval, for \$2,703.00 (9/15) so this offering should bring even more.

**PCGS # 2458 | EST: \$2,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.**



LOT 33

1C 1914-D PCGS AU58

This is one of the key dates to the series, with high grade coins lacking from most collections. Here is one on the cusp of Mint State, with a bold strike on Lincoln's coat and full separation on each of the fine lines of the durum wheat ears. Clean surfaces and splendid medium brown patina throughout.

PCGS 131, NGC 113. A similar PCGS AU58 example of this issue brought \$1,998.00 (8/15) and this should bring a similar number. Always in high collector demand, especially when found this nice!

**PCGS # 2471 | EST: \$1,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.**



LOT 34

1C 1914-D PCGS MS65BN CAC

Tied for the finest seen by PCGS in the Brown category of this prized key date rarity. This is an early die state with especially crisp definition on Lincoln's hair and coat, and all the peripheral lettering is sharp as well. The Denver Mint produced a large number of less than stellar pieces during this era, culminating with the 1922-"D" cents that lacked the mintmark! The surfaces are excellent, with little more than a few stray scuffs from handling, which keeps the eye appeal high.

PCGS 14, NGC 15, CAC 6. The last CAC approved coin to sell at this grade level brought \$7,050.00 (1/14) in a stronger market. Let's see how this comparable coin does today. Collectors would be wise to use the current market softness to put aside some of the great rarities, for coins like this never go out of style and demand will always be there for the finest that exist.

PCGS # 2471 | EST: \$6,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

LOT 35

1C 1926-S PCGS MS65RB CAC

Mostly fiery red with a dash of greenish iridescence around the rims mixed with violet accents. There is a touch of wood grain pattern toning starting to form on the reverse and a single minor speck on the reverse below the N of ONE. The strike is bold, especially on the wheat ears, letters, and date. Very high-end and uncommonly attractive for this scarce date and Mint!

PCGS 15, NGC 27, CAC 4. The most recent auction price for this date, Mint, and grade is \$9,988.00 (11/13). This example, with stunning color and mostly red--and CAC approval--should bring even more! After all, as Lincoln Cent specialists will confirm, there are only two fully RD MS65 examples of the 1926-S Lincoln Cent, and they bring over \$100,000.00! While this one isn't quite fully RD, it's close and as such can be secured for a relatively bargain price.

PCGS # 2574 | EST: \$9,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 36

1C 1931-S PCGS MS65RD CAC

Full blazing Mint color throughout with clean surfaces and rich eye appeal. The strike is decent on this low mintage date, with a mere 866,000 pieces struck as our economy fell off the cliff into the Depression that spanned a full decade. Not many were saved, and precious few retained their glorious Mint color as well as the present coin.

PCGS 781, NGC 240, CAC 37. A similar coin without CAC approval sold for \$588.00 (10/15) and this sparkling key date should do even better!

PCGS # 2620 | EST: \$500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 37

1C 1949-S PCGS MS67+RD CAC

Tied with two others as the absolute finest certified by PCGS of this date and Mint, this one is as close to perfection as anyone could hope for. Can you say "fresh!"? Glittering full Mint color, a bold strike, and satin sweet surfaces. Unsurpassed and destined for an advanced Set Registry collection.

PCGS 210, NGC 543, CAC 32. Only three of the PCGS coins have the "+" grade, and this is one of them! A close match to this coin sold for \$3,173.00 with CAC approval (3/14) and this one is certainly worth that. A prize for the specialist.

PCGS # 2776 | EST: \$2,750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 38

1C 1955/55 DOUBLED DIE OBVERSE NGC MS62BN

Satiny brown throughout with tinges of original mint color adhering in the protected areas. The strike is bold throughout, and the surfaces show little more than the expected handling marks. It is a remarkable feature of this doubled obverse die that the Motto, LIBERTY and the date are completely doubled with a moderate shift between them, features on President Lincoln are also doubled but they are not as easy to discern. The end result of this blunder is one of the most sought after errors in mint history, as the dramatic effect is hard to miss once it is seen. Today it is believed that between 10,000 and 15,000 of these exist in all grades, of course with Mint State coins like this far and away the most popular with collectors.

PCGS 407, NGC 515. A recent auction record for an NGC MS62BN of this issue hit \$1,645.00 (9/15). With prices soft over the past year or so, now would be a great time to put one of these American classics into your collection.

PCGS # 2825 | EST: \$1,750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

LOT 39

1C 1955/55 DOUBLED DIE OBVERSE PCGS MS65RD

Tied with a select group as the finest known of this coveted issue! The color is rich, radiant red with no signs of fading and no specks or spots are present. PCGS has only graded twenty coins this high, with none seen finer at MS66 in the RD category. The obverse die was completely blundered during the hubbing process, with a significant shift between blows from the master hub, this created the doubling which involves the entire obverse, the date, the Motto, LIBERTY, and even the portrait and hair on Lincoln. While other doubled dies often involve only a specific area or quadrant of the die, this one is the granddaddy because of the dramatic nature of the doubling and the fact that many were produced. Precious few retain this degree of red, as most entered circulation and stayed there long enough to tone down to brown.

Most collectors begin collecting coins at an early age, by and large the most popular series to begin collection has been the Lincoln Cent. The first perusal of any coin collecting guide teaches these collectors that the 1909-S V.D.B. and the 1955 Doubled Die are the keys to the set. Ask anyone on the street what the two rarest Lincoln Cents are and these two inevitably are noted with awe and reverence. Few collectors ever obtain one or both—but these definitely make or break all Lincoln Cent collections. For the most advanced collectors, finding a gem with full mint red of the 1955 Doubled Die represents the greatest challenge and requires the greatest patience. No more than twenty collectors can own one of these finest pieces, so here is one of those rare opportunities to secure the absolute best representative of this key issue.

Approximately 20,000 1955 Doubled Die cents were struck and the vast majority show circulation today. Red examples of this issue are quite rare, and this is due to the way these were distributed. Most entered circulation unnoticed and stayed there for a year or more. Hence red coins surviving with their color intact was simply a matter of chance. The most amazing fact of all is that these apparently escaped notice at the Philadelphia Mint, not only through the die making process, but during the entire production run as well.

PCGS 20, NGC 3. It has been over five years since this issue was offered in a mainstream numismatic auction in this grade, when one brought \$32,200.00 (6/10). Hence collector pressure for this sparkling jewel is likely to be quite high! Don't miss out if you have been seeking one of these in top notch condition.

PCGS # 2827 | EST: \$35,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.





LOT 40

1C 1909 LINCOLN MATTE PCGS PR66RB EX LARRY SHEPHERD COLLECTION

Gorgeous, radiant Mint color which is mostly intact save for a touch of fading into the violet and blue tinges on the high points. The strike is bold throughout, and the surfaces are free of specks or spots. Highly appealing!

PCGS 38, NGC 25. The value estimate from CoinFacts comes in at \$3,150.00 and that would seem reasonable for coin with such outstanding color and free of the often seen carbon issues that so often plague the Lincoln Cent series.

PCGS # 3304 | EST: \$2,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 41

1C 1909 LINCOLN MATTE PCGS PR66RB CAC EX LARRY SHEPHERD COLLECTION

This fiery, ultra high-end coin exhibits stunning, full matte textured surfaces that are exceptionally clean and smooth. A booming, killer luster enhances the outrageous, original deep red/copper/violet colors. Lincoln and every detail are needle sharp and stand out boldly. If you demand only the very best, this is your coin! The eye appeal is jaw dropping!

PCGS 35, NGC 25, CAC 20. Forget the sale history for other 1909 PR66s. Most don't come close to this level of outrageous quality and eye appeal. We're amazed that PCGS didn't designate it at least a PR66+RB!

PCGS # 3304 | EST: \$2,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 42

1C 1910 MATTE PROOF PCGS PR65RB CAC

Attractive, faded Mint color throughout with gentle tan over dominant golden iridescence. There are no specks or carbon spots, and the strike is precise and crisp. Lincoln's curls show bold definition and each letter was carefully chiseled by the die when struck.

PCGS 64, NGC 42, CAC 18. There is one recent auction record of \$831.00 (3/15) but that coin did not have CAC approval. This one with better color and no specks should bring a stronger result.

PCGS # 3307 | EST: \$650.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 43

1C 1911 MATTE PROOF PCGS PR66+BN CAC

We can't figure out why PCGS decided not to award this nearly perfect piece a PR67 grade. We have seen many high-end 1911 Proof Lincoln Cents, and we can empathically say there are zero imperfections to be found, even under a loupe. The untouched surfaces are full gem matte texture and a bold luster shows off gorgeous pale brown/purple/blue colors. Lincoln and the details are needle sharp and boldly stand out, especially the rims. The eye appeal is wild!

PCGS 1, NGC 0, CAC 1. This coin is more than worthy of being the finest graded! The current Collectors Universe value is \$3,500.00, but we could see this coin selling for \$5,000.00! If you are a Proof Lincoln collector, you must see this piece!

PCGS # 3309 | EST: \$3,250.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 44

1C 1915 MATTE PROOF PCGS PR66+RB CAC GOLD STICKER

This absolutely stunning coin is tied with two others as the finest certified in the RB category of Matte Proofs for 1915. The surfaces, color, and strike are nothing short of sensational. Both sides offer fiery golden iridescence, with flashes of rose, crimson, yellow and green hints when tilted under a light. Free of the usual carbon specks too, which keeps the eye appeal exceptional. A mere 1,150 pieces were struck, and this one is arguably the finest in this category, tied with no more than a couple of others at this lofty grade.

The Matte Proofs of this period did not sell well to collectors, hence mintages tailed off by 1915 and production halted after 1916 of these Matte Proofs. gem survivors are few and far between, and most that do quality fall into the brown color group. Thus finding such a fiery bright gem is a true feast for the eyes, so if you demand the finest, most elegant and extraordinary coin for your collection, then look no further than this radiant example.

PCGS 25, NGC 18, CAC 2. Only three of the PCGS coins offer the "+" grade and this is one of them. Given the fact that this one has a Gold CAC sticker, the price becomes somewhat speculative, as this coin is clearly one of the finest as it stands now, and is arguably considered even finer. For eye appeal the surfaces are outstanding, and the color is memorable! Don't miss out if you want a really high-end gem. Good luck!

PCGS # 3322 | EST: \$15,000.00+

LOT 45

1C 1936 TYPE I SATIN PCGS PR65RD

OGH. Scarce this well preserved and highly appealing for the rich original Mint color and clean surfaces. The Satin style is apparently quite a bit tougher to find than the Brilliant style. Here is a solid gem to represent this popular issue.

PCGS 58, NGC 17. The most recent match to the grade of this coin hit \$3,055.00 (6/14) at auction and this one should be close to that in this weaker coin market, which frankly presents quite an opportunity for the collector willing to step up and put some of these key issue and condition rarities away.

**PCGS # 3332 | EST: \$2,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.**





LOT 46

1C 1936 TYPE 2 PCGS PR65RD CAC

OGH. Glittering reflectivity with gorgeous Mint color throughout. The fields and devices are free of specks or spots, keeping the technical grade high as well as the eye appeal. Impressive!

PCGS 177, NGC 48, CAC 37. A similar CAC approved coin landed at \$2,115.00 (7/15) at auction recently. This one should bring a similar amount for its matching quality and eye appeal.

PCGS # 3335 | EST: \$1,750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 47

1C 1937 PCGS PR66+RD CAM CAC

This electric coin really dazzles the senses! Ultra deep, wildly reflective mirrors are the ultimate in clarity. The surfaces are spotless, and you can only see a scattered, pinpoint toning dot or two under a strong loupe. Nothing is visible to the naked eye. The entire coin is an intense, original gem red. Lincoln and every detail are fully struck and have thick, iridescent frost. The eye appeal is heart pounding!

PCGS 1, NGC 0, CAC 1. This coin has never been sold at auction before, but an NGC PR67 CAM without CAC approval brought \$17,625.00 (2/14) and this coin certainly knocks on that one's door! The current Collectors Universe value is \$4,250.00, which we think that is too cheap. Seeing is believing here!

PCGS # 83338 | EST: \$5,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 48

1C 1942 PCGS PR66RD CAM CAC

Extremely bright and fresh with strong contrast between the frosted devices and the mirrored fields. Free of any distracting specks or spots, and the color is outstanding! Cameo pieces like this are truly rare, especially so when found on such top quality pieces. Exceptionally appealing and attractive!

PCGS 11, NGC 17, CAC 6. A close match sold for \$1,880.00 (4/15) with CAC approval as well, and this one should certainly bring all serious collectors who need an example of this tough Cameo Proof!

PCGS # 83353 | EST: \$1,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 49

2C 1864 SMALL MOTTO PCGS MS65RB CAC

This is one of the scarcest issues of the Two-Cent piece series and a special variety which is always in high collector demand. When this denomination was launched in 1864, the letters in the Motto were initially a smaller in size, a minor modification employing slightly larger letters was soon ordered and adopted for the duration of this denomination. The Small Motto coins were issued in tiny numbers and finding a gem like this is a true delight!

PCGS 50, NGC 56, CAC 23. The current CoinFacts estimate for this issue is \$4,200.00 and this one should be worth close to that amount, especially with CAC approval! The color is classic faded Mint red with tan in areas, but ample flash to please the eye.

PCGS # 3580 | EST: \$3,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 50

2C 1872 PCGS MS63RB

This is the key date to the circulation strikes of this series with a tiny mintage of only 65,000 pieces. After being launched in 1864, the Two-Cent piece never really caught on with merchants, and demand slipped away by the time these 1872 coins were struck. Although Proofs were struck of this denomination in 1873, no further circulation strikes were coined after 1872. The color is generally light brown on this example, with a few tinges of flashy golden red remaining in the protected areas. A minute planchet clip is noted at roughly the 9 o'clock position of the obverse and reverse affecting a few dentils. An important offering for the date collector!

PCGS 19, NGC 6. Auction records for this particular date and grade are nearly a decade old, but provide guidance. One of these last sold for \$3,220.00 (2/06) at auction. Don't let this key date get away if you need one, they obviously don't come up that often!

PCGS # 3613 | EST: \$2,500.00+

LOT 51

2C 1864 LARGE MOTTO PCGS PR65RB CAC

Captivating reflectivity and essentially full red with just enough fading in the intensity to be considered RB. The glassy mirror fields are stunning, and there is a fair amount of contrast with the frosted devices. Fully struck as expected for a Proof, and graced by light tan hues over the Mint freshness. The original mintage has long been estimated at 100+, but realistically 400 or so must have been struck. Perhaps 250 are reported between the grading services, with duplication likely, but some also remain in long term holdings as raw coins. 1864 was the first year of issue, and two types of letters were used in the newly adopted Motto--IN GOD WE TRUST.

PCGS 39, NGC 36, CAC 18. The CoinFacts estimate for this issue is \$3,750.00 which seems about right, but such estimates are often exceeded when a virtually full red coin with CAC approval like this is offered. Be sure to capture this prize if you need a high-end, high appeal example of this prized issue.

PCGS # 3622 | EST: \$3,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

LOT 52

2C 1864 LARGE MOTTO PCGS PR66RD CAM CAC

Strong contrast between the velvet frost on the devices which stand tall against the mirror fields. A classic rarity with only 100 pieces struck in Proof, this one is tied with the finest seen in the Cameo designation, and no Deep Cameo pieces have been certified by PCGS of this date. Fiery red dominates both the obverse and reverse with no signs of fading and offers a rare opportunity to own a coin which has not toned and faded from its original glory. The surfaces are outstanding, with little more than a few trace hints of carbon. An extraordinary specimen!

Early in the first year of production, the Mint noticed that the motto lettering was a trifle too small on the ribbon, so larger letters were employed on the master hub to produce these later coins of 1864. These are differentiated as Large Motto pieces. The initial Small Motto pieces of 1864 were issued in tiny numbers in Proof, but are more widely available in Mint State. These Large Motto pieces are also elusive in Proof, especially when found this well preserved. A powerful example of this prized issue, and a coin that will always dazzle its new owner.

PCGS 3, NGC 0, CAC 2. The last example to sell at auction brought \$43,125.00 (8/10) and it also has a CAC sticker. If you desire to build a set of these, here is one of the hardest key issues to find, in the ultimate stellar grade! Don't miss out.

**PCGS # 83623 | EST: \$35,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.**





LOT 53

2C 1870 PCGS PR66RB CAC

The mirrors on this piece blow us away! They are as deep, crystal clear, and clean as we've ever seen! There isn't a single microscopic spot to be found. Both sides explode with the most outrageous red/magenta/violet combination you will ever see. Every detail is sharply struck and has generous frost. The eye appeal is out of this world!

PCGS 22, NGC 22, CAC 12. The last to sell at auction brought \$3,525.00 (6/14) and we think this coin will see strong bidding and easily top that!

PCGS # 3643 | EST: \$3,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 54

2C 1873 OPEN 3 PCGS PR66RB CAC

Tied with a handful of others as the finest certified of this issue! Amazing for the colors here, rich lilac, and purple reside on the right side, with fiery golden-rose highlights on the left. Blend these hues over the mirror fields and frosted devices and you have a feast for the eyes when examining this delightful coin. This is the final year of issue, and these were struck right at the tail end of the production. There are a couple of minor carbon specks on the reverse, but they are light and not detracting. Only 500 were struck or so, and this is definitely one of the finer examples known.

PCGS 10, NGC 12, CAC 8. A recent auction of a similar CAC approved coin brought \$11,163.00 (10/15) but this one has much better iridescent color. Stunning!

PCGS # 3655 | EST: \$8,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 55

3CS 1853 PCGS MS67 CAC

Tied with a select group of eleven pieces as the finest seen by PCGS, with the top coin nudging the balance of this group out by a "+" designation. Otherwise, non have been graded finer! The obverse and reverse are bathed in satin silver luster with no signs of toning. The strike is reasonably sharp, full on the obverse and much of the reverse with just a few of the upper stars lacking their complete centers. These circulation strikes were made in this fashion, and bold strikes are clearly the extreme exception for this style of production. To earn such a lofty grade the surfaces have to be outstanding--and they are. Notice how there are no random scuffs or nicks present on the high points or deep in the fields. Simply glorious.

PCGS 11, NGC 10, CAC 7. The most recent auction price for a PCGS MS67 CAC approved example of this issue brought \$4,701.00 (2/15) for a similar white coin, yet the CoinFacts price of \$8,000.00 seems justified as well. Let's see how this sparkling, original coin plays out.

PCGS # 3667 | EST: \$4,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 56

3CS 1855 PCGS MS66 CAC

This is one of the finest examples known of this scarce date! Amazing luster resides in the fields, which shines through rich toning flecks that inhabit the obverse, and flashes with shimmering reflectivity through the green, blue, and crimson hues. The reverse is more uniformly toned with deep greenish-gold shades, but again the dazzling luster is apparent. Only 139,000 pieces were struck for this scarce date, and not many exist that can even approach this stellar example. The strike is reasonably sharp but for a hint of softness on the periphery, and both dies show the commonly seen die clashing.

PCGS 8, NGC 5, CAC 5. We sold a similar coin for \$9,400.00 (2/15) and this one should bring that amount or more, especially for such a splendid example!

PCGS # 3671 | EST: \$8,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

LOT 57

3CS 1856 PCGS MS66+ CAC

This coin ranks among the finest survivors. Our sister company Legend Numismatics built The Law/Simpson Collection, the finest 3CS set of all time, and they rank this coin as the second finest known. Outstanding surface are exceedingly clean and smooth. This coin clearly sat out of harm's way for its 159 year existence. An above average luster shows off pretty, light pewter toning. All of the details are sharply struck and the eye appeal is great!

PCGS 3, NGC 5, CAC 6. PCGS has graded only two coins in MS66+ and only one higher, which resides in the Law/Simpson Collection. The last regular PCGS MS66 CAC to sell brought \$15,275.00 (7/15) and Legend Numismatics purchased the MS67 for \$28,200.00 earlier this year. If you're building a great Mint State 3CS Set, this coin will be a shining star!

PCGS # 3672 | EST: \$17,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 58

3CS 1861 PCGS PR64 CAM CAC

Handsome tawny gold and russet toning spans both sides and is both perfectly even and attractive. The mirror fields are beautifully intact and offer solid contrast with the frosted devices. The recorded mintage is 1,000 pieces in Proof, but only a tiny fraction of those offer the Cameo contrast, and no more than half of the original mintage exists today. This is a tough find this well preserved.

PCGS 15, NGC 4, CAC 8. Auction records for this coin are sparse, so we'll let the market decide. The number that exist that are comparable to the present offering is obviously tiny.

PCGS # 83710 | EST: \$1,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 59

3CS 1866 PCGS PR64

Handsome deep aqua blue on both sides framed with lighter rose-gold accents. The fields are fully reflective and watery in appearance. Clean surfaces and downright attractive.

PCGS 83, NGC 61. A good match to this coin in terms of quality and color brought \$1,293.00 (9/15) recently. If you want a lot of color and near gem quality, then look no further than this lot!

PCGS # 3716 | EST: \$750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 60

3CS 1870 PCGS PR66 CAC

Gorgeous centered rose-gold bullseye toning at the center, then rich teal and blue, finally with russet and crimson around the rim. The fields are gloriously reflective, while the devices and lettering are all frosty with contrast. The combination of the bold strike, exceptional toning and high quality make these Three-Cent Silver pieces highly collectible!

PCGS 22, NGC 26, CAC 17. The CoinFacts estimate for this grade is \$3,100.00 and this one should bring that amount or more for its toning and strong quality. A handsome coin!

PCGS # 3721 | EST: \$2,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 61

3CS 1871 PCGS PR66 CAC

Incredible russet and teal toning on both sides, with golden centers and framed in richer antique hues. Highly reflective fields offset the frosted devices and create a sweet and desirable gem Proof. A perfect high-end coin for the collector!

PCGS 29, NGC 22, CAC 10. The auction prices for this date and grade are all over the map, in part because of the variable quality, but also because of gorgeous toning like this! Expect to pay a premium to obtain this highly collectible gem.

PCGS # 3722 | EST: \$2,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 62

3CS 1872 PCGS PR66

Booming blue toning on both sides, with the center of the obverse a bit lighter with rose-gold over the shield. Intensely reflective and watery in the fields, with shimmering qualities that define a handsome Proof example. The surfaces are a delight to examine and the toning will absolutely blow you away! Mintage of 950 pieces, and this one is exceptional for its quality and appeal.

PCGS 16, NGC 20. We sold a similar coin for \$6,169.00 (6/15) and these bring huge premiums for the toning, as well they should! If you love royal blue then snag this one when it crosses the block!

PCGS # 3723 | EST: \$4,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 63

3CS 1872 PCGS PR66 CAM CAC

Amazing quality and toning for a Cameo coin, with explosive deep blue on both sides and lighter rose-gold centers. The fields are highly reflective with watery qualities that invite study. Of course the surfaces are outstanding too, and one would be hard pressed to find any fault with this exquisite coin. The Three-Cent Silver series is highly collectible, not only are these available in gem grades, but many come with intricate toning that is beautiful in itself. Furthermore, these are relatively affordable, even in gem condition! Why not select a few and start a collection of these today?

PCGS 9, NGC 3, CAC 7. We last sold a similar coin for \$5,288.00 (9/15) and this one should do as well with its seductive toning and exquisite surfaces. Good luck!

PCGS # 83723 | EST: \$5,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 64

3CN 1866 PCGS PR66 CAM

Sparkling and bright with just a touch of toning over the mirror fields and frosted devices. The fields are especially fresh and reflective, showing no signs of handling or specks from storage, and offer pristine surfaces to study. The devices are well frosted and contrast nicely with the mirrored surroundings. Scarce this well preserved.

PCGS 17, NGC 22. A recent auction for a similar example of this date hit \$1,645.00 (6/15), and this one should be worth that or more for its elegant surfaces and solid contrast.

PCGS # 83762 | EST: \$1,600.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 65

3CN 1867 PCGS PR66 CAM

Bright and flashy, with just a hint of toning over the vibrant surfaces. This is a scarce, early Proof issue to find, as a mere 625 pieces were struck. high-end gems like this are tough to find.

PCGS 31, NGC 53. This example is destined to bring a strong price, with glittering reflectivity and unbroken frost on the devices.

PCGS # 83763 | EST: \$1,750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 66

3CN 1869 PCGS PR66 DCAM CAC

Blast white with glittering frost on the devices and bold reflectivity in the fields. This is one of the finer examples certified by PCGS with only one slightly finer with the "+" designation of this issue with the Deep Cameo contrast. A scant 600 were struck, and no more than a dozen or so can offer such quality with bold contrast.

As perfect as any collector could hope to find.

PCGS 14, NGC 13, CAC 11. Auction results have consistently been above \$3,000.00 for this date and grade. This one should bring more with CAC approval and spotless surfaces.

PCGS # 93765 | EST: \$2,750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 67

3CN 1878 PCGS PR67 CAM CAC

Gorgeous quality with a dash of sunset gold at the centers and fading to pale blue through the legends and wreath. Fantastic eye appeal with spotless surfaces and no distracting marks. This issue is virtually unobtainable with the Deep Cameo designation, so most collectors try to obtain a sparkling superb coin like this when they are available.

PCGS 29, NGC 31, CAC 25. Auction prices for this date and grade with CAC approval hit \$2,000.00+ and this one should bring that or more. Of those listed four have the "+" from PCGS and there is just a single coin graded at PR68! Highly recommended and downright pleasing.

PCGS # 83774 | EST: \$1,750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 68

3CN 1880 PCGS PR67 CAM CAC

A gorgeous coin that shows strong white frost on the devices against handsome mirror fields that fall away with their strong reflectivity creating the desirable contrast. Mintage of 3,955 pieces and this is one of the absolute finest known today.

Free of specks or spots, and certain to grace any advanced collection lucky enough to acquire this piece.

PCGS 7, NGC 4, CAC 7. This is clearly one of the finest seen of this prized issue. The last time this coin sold at auction it realized \$4,406.00 (9/13) and it should be worth that or more today.

PCGS # 83776 | EST: \$4,200.00+



LOT 69

3CN 1884 PCGS PR66

OGH. A high-end example of this date that is fresh, free of spots, and totally bright. No handling marks or distractions are seen. The mintage of 3,942 pieces mostly fall into the gem or lower grades today, making this superlative piece all the more desirable.

PCGS 202, NGC 59. Auction records are all over the map and this one is a bit of wild card in the old green label holder. The coin itself is quite nice too!

PCGS # 3780 | EST: \$650.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 70

3CN 1889 PCGS PR67 CAC

Outstanding quality with virtually perfect surfaces and delicate, icy blue hints in the reflective fields. The strike is perfectly sharp throughout, and a fair amount of contrast is present between the devices and fields. There are no signs of carbon specks or fading, and the eye appeal is stunning.

PCGS 56, NGC 52, CAC 18. There are only a couple of coins graded finer of this final year of issue. This particular coin sold for \$1,586.00 (5/15) and we feel it should be worth more.

PCGS # 3786 | EST: \$1,200.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 71

5C 1883/2 SHIELD PCGS MS64 CAC

FS-303. This is a scarce and popular overdate which is seldom found this well preserved and attractive. Classic steel-gray patina with lustrous fields and outstanding surfaces. The overdate is clear with the lower portion of the 2 particularly clear and located left of the 3.

PCGS 16, NGC 11, CAC 7. The last CAC example to cross the auction block hit \$4,600.00 (8/10) and the current Collections Universe value is \$5,500.00. There is likely pent up demand for a nice example of this prized overdate.

PCGS # 3814 | EST: \$4,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 72

5C 1871 PCGS PR66 CAM CAC

A glittering white coin that stands tall for this scarce issue. The surfaces are clean with a single tiny speck touching the U of TRUST. Watery mirror fields offset the frosted devices and create the Cameo contrast that adds to the visual impact. This one is tied with a handful of others at the top of the grading scale other than a couple with the "+" above.

PCGS 19, NGC 13, CAC 12. The most recent sale of a CAC approved coin at this grade brought \$1,645.00 (9/15) and this wholesome original coin should bring that or more.

PCGS # 83825 | EST: \$1,250.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 73

5C 1876 PCGS PR65 CAM CAC

Blazing bright reflectivity with a dash of sunset rose and teal toning on the obverse. The strike is sharp and full, and the surfaces are free of any detracting contact marks. This is America's centennial year and great care was taken in producing coins that would reflect well on this country going forward. Here is such a coin that has been well preserved right through to this day.

PCGS 39, NGC 25, CAC 10. A recent auction price for a CAC approved coin of this grade realized \$764.00 (8/15) and was quite similar to this piece. An impressive coin for the grade assigned!

PCGS # 83830 | EST: \$650.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 74

5C 1879/8 PCGS PR67+ CAC

Stunning quality and toned with glorious, delicate nickel teal around the rims and sunshine bright centers! This one is currently the eighth finest certified by PCGS of this popular overdate issue, nudged out by six in PR68, and the finest at PR69. However, the eye appeal of this example is simply marvelous. If you love high quality, high appeal coins then look no further, here is the one to buy.

PCGS 27, NGC 16, CAC 11. This is the only one of the PCGS coins to be awarded the "+"! There are no auction records for this coin as of yet, however, the most recent PR68 sold brought \$8,813.00 (10/14) so this coin should bring a price worthy of its quality.

PCGS # 3834 | EST: \$3,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 75

5C 1885 PCGS MS65

Brilliant white and lustrous, with a touch of delicate gold patina scattered over the surfaces. This is the key date to the series with a modest mintage of 1,473,300 pieces. Of course not many of these survive in high grades and especially in gem! Here is one that did, with outstanding luster and clean surfaces. A loupe will note a couple of minor nick on Miss Liberty's chin but the open fields and balance of the devices appear to be an even higher grade. Outstanding!

PCGS 52, NGC 26. The CoinFacts price for this grade is \$9,750.00 and this coin should bring that or close to it! A prize for the Liberty Nickel aficionado.

PCGS # 3846 | EST: \$7,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 76

5C 1886 PCGS MS65 CAC

Blazing bright nickel white with a hint of gold starting to form. The strike is sharp on the stars and Miss Liberty's curls, as well as all the wreath elements. Only 3,326,000 pieces were struck and precious few survived at all, especially in gem condition. Destined for a high-end gem date collection of this series.

PCGS 40, NGC 28, CAC 6. The last PCGS CAC coin to sell at auction brought \$5,875.00 (9/13), but this blazing white coin should bring more especially for its eye appeal and splendid strike.

PCGS # 3847 | EST: \$5,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 77

5C 1901 PCGS MS67 CAC

This awesome coin is tied with at most two others as the finest known of this date and Mint. Both sides offer beaming luster and full Mint brilliance. There are no specks or spots, and no signs of toning here. Furthermore the surfaces are miraculously clean! Only a few Liberty Nickels achieve the superb grade and this is one of the very best. A stunning coin that will dazzle any specialist with its sensational quality.

PCGS 3, NGC 2, CAC 3. Auction record at \$28,200.00 (7/13) and this one is certainly comparable to the very best known. A stellar and memorable coin that will blow your socks off!

PCGS # 3862 | EST: \$15,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 78

5C 1908 PCGS MS66+ CAC

Glittering white and fantastic quality! Tied with at most two others as the finest seen by PCGS of this date, each standing tall as MS66+. The stars are all sharp, showing full radial lines, and the bold strike continues over Miss Liberty and the wreath. Outstanding surfaces with virtually no sign of handling anywhere to be found. If you demand the very best, look no further than this outstanding gem!

PCGS 27, NGC 14, CAC 7. The current auction record price stands at \$5,288.00 (8/15) for this grade. Let's see how this splendid coin does! Good luck!

PCGS # 3869 | EST: \$2,750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

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LOT 79

5C 1886 PCGS PR66 CAM CAC

Golden biscuit toning spans both sides of this radiant gem! As the 1886 circulation strikes were a low mintage date, that puts additional pressure on these Proofs from date collectors. Here is one of the finest seen, with a towering grade of PR66 with the Cameo contrast! Not many are appreciably finer, and any collector will be proud to acquire this sparkling gem.

PCGS 21, NGC 22, CAC 13. Auction records range from 1,645.00 (4/15) and higher for this date and grade. This one will bring a premium for its eye catching quality and CAC approval. A prize for the collector who demands far above average.

PCGS # 83884 | EST: \$1,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 80

5C 1886 PCGS PR67

Gorgeous pastel gold, yellow, lilac, and blue toning is noted on the obverse and reverse, appearing in gentle waves around the rims to the center of the design. This is one of the key dates to the series and puts additional collector pressure on the 4,290 Proofs struck. This is one of the finest certified, and an acquisition that will be a centerpiece of any advanced collection of Liberty Nickels. The strike is slightly soft on a couple of the obverse stars which lack their radial lines, but most are sharp.

PCGS 25, NGC 20. Only a single PCGS coin has the "+" grade and none finer! The last to sell at auction brought \$2,703 (10/15). So if you want one of the absolute finest 1886 Liberty Nickels look no further than this elegant jewel.

PCGS # 3884 | EST: \$2,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 81

5C 1890 PCGS PR66 DCAM CAC

Sparkling white frost announces each device loudly, while the mirror fields fall away in icy perfection. The surfaces are virtually flawless, and close scrutiny finds little more than a few short lint marks from tiny threads that adhered to the dies when these initial Proof coins were struck. Only 2,740 pieces were struck in Proof, and this is one of the two finest known pieces certified by PCGS with the Deep Cameo designation. It would be hard to imagine any finer example to come from these dies.

PCGS 2, NGC 0, CAC 1. The other Deep Cameo example sold for \$5,581.00 (8/13) but it did not have CAC approval. This piece, arguably the sole and finest known, should bring more. Destined for the ultimate Set Registry collection of Proofs in this series.

PCGS # 93888 | EST: \$4,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 82

5C 1892 PCGS PR66 CAM CAC

A glittering, bright coin that shows extremely well and there is a touch of light toning patina when closely examined. The surfaces are pristine, with bold reflectivity in the fields and satin frost on all the devices.

PCGS 41, NGC 23, CAC 14. A scarce issue to find this well preserved, with CoinFacts estimating a value of \$1,350.00 for this grade. high-end affordability!

PCGS # 83890 | EST: \$1,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 83

5C 1897 PCGS PR66 CAM CAC

Fully brilliant white with strong frost on the devices and splendid mirrors. Only 1,938 pieces were struck in Proof, and of these just a small percentage can boast the Cameo contrast seen here. A delightful example that should suit any collector who demands and appreciates quality.

PCGS 32, NGC 20, CAC 14. A recent CAC coin brought \$999.00 (7/15) at auction, but it was toned. This glittering white example should bring more.

PCGS # 83895 | EST: \$850.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 84

5C 1898 PCGS PR66 CAM CAC

Essentially a white coin save for a hint of colorful patina on the lower obverse. The surfaces are pristine, with classic watery reflectivity in the fields and satin frost spanning the devices.

PCGS 24, NGC 29, CAC 12. The last CAC approved example to sell brought \$1,410.00 (6/14) at auction and this one should do similarly.

PCGS # 83896 | EST: \$1,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

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LOT 85

5C 1901 PCGS PR67+ DCAM

Exceptional brightness and contrast for this date and undoubtedly the finest certified by PCGS of this date with the Deep Cameo contrast. Between both grading services only eight coins offer the Deep or Ultra Cameo designation! This one is not only one of these elusive coins, but stands tall at the superb gem grade level. Extremely appealing and worthy of the most advanced collection.

PCGS 3, NGC 1. This particular coin has not appeared at auction as a PR67+ and what price it eventually brings should set a new record price for any Proof 1901 Liberty Nickel which currently stands at \$13,800.00 (5/12). Unsurpassed quality and contrast, what more could any specialist desire?

PCGS # 93899 | EST: \$11,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 86

5C 1903 PCGS PR67 CAM CAC

Snow white frost bathes the devices in uncommon richness and contrast. The mirrors are bold and perfectly reflective, with strong contrast that appeases the eye. Clearly one of the finer examples both technically especially when combined with the Cameo contrast. There is only a single Deep Cameo example graded of this date by PCGS, so that designation is clearly not too available for 1903 Liberty Nickels.

PCGS 13, NGC 13, CAC 18. The last PR67 CAM CAC coin to sell landed on \$2,115.00 (5/15) but that was for a toned example, this blazing white coin should bring more.

PCGS # 3901 | EST: \$2,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 87

5C 1907 PCGS PR66

A glittering white coin with solid reflectivity and ample frost on the devices. The strike is exceptional, and the preservation top notch. Completely white and free of any distractions.

PCGS 47, NGC 73. A recent auction price of \$646.00 (9/15) seems too cheap for a coin of this quality. Make sure to view it and bid it accordingly as this quality never goes begging.

PCGS # 3905 | EST: \$600.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 88

5C 1916-S PCGS MS67

Tied for the finest known with four other PCGS coins at most for this date and Mint. Exceptional surfaces are noted and the color is essentially vibrant white with a hint of peach gold. Fully struck, with bold and crisp lettering on both sides, and lacking the often seen mushiness in the strike that often precludes such a stellar grade. For the Buffalo Nickel specialist, it has been a long while since one of these was offered. It's been nearly thirteen years since the last PCGS MS67 crossed the auction block! That coin brought \$26,450.00 (1/03) and like the present offering is certainly worth more today.

The 1916-S is not considered to be one of the great rarities of the series, but in gem grades these certainly command respect. To find a superb example is quite a challenge, and if you've been looking since 2005, you haven't had any opportunity to purchase such a coin unless one traded privately. Here at last is an opportunity to secure this condition rarity in the ultimate grade. Falling short may leave you waiting another thirteen years for the next one to appear! Highly recommended if you are a serious Buffalo Nickel specialist.

PCGS 5, NGC 2. The value listed in CoinFacts is \$30,000.00 for this grade, but that is really speculation as there haven't been any sold for so long. An extraordinary opportunity to purchase the right coin for an advanced collection.

PCGS # 3933 | EST: \$24,000.00+



LOT 89

5C 1917-D PCGS MS66 CAC

OGH. Amazing quality for this early Denver issue! This one is tied with several others as the second finest seen by PCGS. The obverse is bathed in rose-gold and blue shades, and completely free of specks or spots. The luster shimmers with every glance under a light source. Although there are a modest number tied at this grade level, only a couple of these have earned CAC approval and the present coin is certainly high among this select group. It would be hard to even imagine a finer example of this date and Mint. Considering how scarce this issue is in gem, and how well struck and attractive this one is, this coin could easily bring a record price. Phenomenal!

PCGS 20, NGC 6, CAC 3. Only two coins have been graded as MS67, one each from PCGS and NGC and neither has been awarded CAC approval. Hence this majestic gem will certainly stand tall in any advanced collection.

PCGS # 3935 | EST: \$8,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

LOT 90

5C 1918/7-D PCGS XF40

This is a handsome, crusty, original high circulated grade example of this tough overdate. PCGS estimates that perhaps 7,000 exist which seems way too high to us. Mint State examples are quite difficult to obtain, with limited numbers graded and they are beyond the means of most collectors. Hence when a solid choice Extremely Fine coin turns up like this, we expect it to get a lot of attention. The vast majority of those known fall into the Good to Very Good range, and often show other circulation problems beyond simply wear. Thus, the handsome nickel gray color with deeper accents found on the present coin will likely impress many collectors.

PCGS 30, NGC 26. The most recent auction price for this date and grade is \$7,050.00 (9/13) which is getting a little stale at this point, this one should bring more!

PCGS # 3939 | EST: \$7,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 91

5C 1924-S PCGS MS66+ CAC

This is the finest known and sole MS66+ graded by PCGS of this key date. It is plated on the CoinFacts website to represent this key issue and will stand tall against any other 1924-S Buffalo Nickel. Toned with glorious yellow-gold around the rims, with hints of nickel blue to the centers. Incredible in strike, with the bold definition fully defining LIBERTY and the reverse legends too, and the bison's head is sharp and fully wooly. Even the horn is sharp and complete, another feature lacking on a good number of 1924-S Buffalo Nickels.

Free of specks or spots, and bathed in Mint luster. The toning truly is exceptional, matching the quality of the surfaces. Although the mintage of 1,437,000 pieces would seem adequate, precious few were saved and most of those known show dismal strike and are well circulated. This is one of the most challenging issues in the series! This specimen's power and presence simply can't be topped, so if you are a connoisseur of Buffalo Nickels then make sure to have your hand held high when this one crosses the block, for once sold another opportunity to secure this Finest Known example may be years and years away.

PCGS 3, NGC 4, CAC 2. There are no relevant auction records for a PCGS coin, the last time a PCGS MS66 sold was in 1998! Needless to say, we expect this one to top the six figure level, a price it well deserves. An extraordinary offering!

PCGS # 3953 | EST: \$90,000.00+



LOT 92

5C 1925 PCGS MS66

An essentially white coin with thick, creamy luster and a decent strike. The surfaces are outstanding, and completely free of carbon or spotting. Outstanding!

PCGS 250, NGC 137. The most recent auction price is \$705.00 (10/15) for this date and grade. Perhaps this sweet coin will bring even more, it deserves it for eye appeal!

PCGS # 3954 | EST: \$600.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 93

5C 1925-D PCGS MS65

Marvelous satin luster throughout with a classic look of a fresh coin. Close scrutiny finds tiny flecks of carbon, but these are not distracting. The strike is sharper than usually seen, as this issue is sometimes found in original hoards with extremely blunt strikes, here the lettering and devices are all clear and minimally distended. A tough date and Mint to find at the gem level!

PCGS 104, NGC 46. A comparable coin sold for \$2,585.00 (8/15) and this one should bring a similar price. Seldom found any finer than this!

PCGS # 3955 | EST: \$2,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

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LOT 94

5C 1927 PCGS MS67

Blazing luster and fully brilliant with gorgeous nickel blue and yellow hints. Boldly struck and virtually pristine, and tied with a select group as the finest seen by PCGS of this date and Mint. The surfaces are virtually perfect, with no diminishing marks to limit the grade. If you want the finest, then look no further than this seductive gem.

PCGS 10. NGC 11. The last auction price for this date is \$6,935.00 (4/09) from the nadir of the market. Today this coin should bring a lot more. Clearly none at this top grade have been offered in quite some time.

PCGS # 3960 | EST: \$6,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

LOT 95

5C 1927-D PCGS MS65 CAC

A fully brilliant gem that offers a delicate glow of peach-gold toning on both sides, and retains strong luster. The strike is sharp for the Denver Mint of this period, with a good split on the bison's tail and fields that are slightly reflective. Furthermore the peripheral lettering is well squared off by the dies, and not drawn and mushy as can be the case on these. A tough date and Mint to find in gem!

PCGS 69, NGC 30, CAC 16. Only ten coins have been graded higher by PCGS, half with the "+" and the balance MS66. A recent MS65 CAC brought \$5,640.00 (7/15) at auction. This sharply struck delight could bring even more.

PCGS # 3961 | EST: \$4,750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

LOT 96

5C 1928-S PCGS MS67

This is the finest certified by PCGS by a full grade point, and only ten are reported in MS66 for this date. Furthermore, the strike is strong, hard and bold, especially on the bison's head, an area which is often found poorly struck up on this San Francisco issue. The toning is jaw dropping, with rich teal and blue framing the periphery, while the centers scream with sunset and rose delights. Completely free of specks or spots, and there are no detracting handling marks. In short, this is undoubtedly the finest 1928-S Buffalo Nickel to survive and it simply could not be surpassed, let alone equaled! Buffalo

Nickels have produced some incredible prices through the years, but only for the most extraordinary coins, like this--when they cross the auction block. If you love this series as much as we do, then step up to the plate and buy this amazing coin, you'll be glad you did every time you take it out and examine its unending charms.

PCGS 1, NGC 2. There are no auction records for this coin whatsoever, nothing even close. The current record price for this date is for an NGC MS67 piece that commanded \$46,000.00 (7/09) and the present coin will blow past that and keep on running when its turn finally arrives at this auction. Expect an extraordinary outcome, as this coin certainly deserves that!

PCGS # 3965 | EST: \$75,000.00+





LOT 97

5C 1937-D 3 LEGGED PCGS AU55 CAC

This one is just right! The nickel gray patina is satin smooth and offers a hint of the usual bluish-gold hues when examined under a light source. Free of carbon issues or distracting cuts and marks from brief circulation or handling. The expected lone hoof stands on its own with the disconnected shoulder high above on the bison, and the back leg displays the moth eaten appearance seen on all true examples from these dies. An American classic and always in high demand!

PCGS 997, NGC 771, CAC 84. We sold a similar coin for \$1,087.00 (6/15) and this one should do as well or better.

PCGS # 3982 | EST \$950.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

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LOT 98

5C 1937-D 3 LEGGED PCGS MS66+ CAC

Legend Rare Coin Auctions is proud to have been selected to auction off the finest known example of one of most beloved and collectable Buffalo Nickel errors. The quality and eye appeal are unlike any we have seen!

This marvelous piece looks more like a 1937 than a 1937 3 Legged. The satiny surfaces exhibit incredible cleanliness, with zero imperfections to be found, even through a strong loupe. A surprisingly strong luster enlivens the sultry, original gold/pale nickel/pale blue colors spread all over. This coin is neither dull nor splotchy. All of the details are exceptionally well struck and the eye appeal is tremendous! This coin is closer to an MS67 than an MS66.

PCGS 1, NGC 0, CAC 1. This is the sole PCGS MS66+, but there are eight MS66 pieces graded by PCGS and the last of those to sell at auction brought \$64,625.00 (9/15) in a weak sale. We expect strong bidding from anyone who buys high grade key dates or Buffalo Nickels. We think this coin will set a record price. Good luck!

PCGS # 3892 | EST: \$75,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.





LOT 99

5C 1913 TYPE 1 PCGS PR67 CAC

Glittering and bright, with lovely delicate rose and golden tints of toning. The surfaces are pristine and free of any distracting contact, and a strong loupe is needed to find a few traces of tiny carbon. The eye appeal is high, matching the quality of this tough first year of issue in Proof. A scant 1,520 pieces were struck, and this is one of the finer ones certified. Late in 1913, the reverse design was changed to place the bison on a more linear and defined piece of ground, making an orphan issue of the Type 1 coins.

PCGS 55, NGC 37, CAC 27. Recent auction price of \$7,638.00 (7/15) is low, considering most of the earlier records are just below \$10,000 for this date and grade. Why not take advantage of this temporary market softness and buy up some of these condition rarities while they are on sale.

PCGS # 3988 | EST: \$7,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

LOT 100

5C 1914 PCGS PR67 CAC

A vibrant white coin with just a hint of pale golden patina primarily on the reverse. This Matte Proof offers the expected textured fields that define these early Buffalo Nickels with a complex design central devices and lettering. Rarely are they found so bright and attractive and precious few offer this quality. Completely free of specks or spots, and the quality of this one is extraordinary. Only 1,275 pieces were struck in Proof.

PCGS 87, NGC 70, CAC 41. The most recent auction price is \$5,288.00 (7/15) for one of these. This coin, with its headlight brightness and stunning quality should bring even more!

PCGS # 3991 | EST: \$4,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 101

5C 1914 PCGS PR67 CAC

Fully bright with a mere whisper of golden iridescence and nickel blue. The surfaces are free of handling marks or heavy specks. A thoroughly impressive superb gem of this prized Proof rarity.

PCGS 87, NGC 70, CAC 41. A similar coin with CAC approval brought \$5,288.00 (7/15) recently, but this one has much more flash and eye appeal. There are not many finer, as PCGS notes just seventeen and these can sell for multiples of the expected price here.

PCGS # 3991 | EST: \$4,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 102

5C 1936 SATIN PCGS PR67 CAC

Golden toning spans both sides of this superb gem Proof, with no carbon specks or spots, and exceptional eye appeal evident at a glance.

PCGS 275, NGC 141, CAC 86. Recent auction prices are just over \$1,500.00 and this reflects how soft the coin market has been lately. Why not take advantage of this opportunity to put away some great coins. Bear markets never last forever and quality like this never goes out of style.

PCGS # 3994 | EST: \$1,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 103

5C 1936 BRILLIANT PCGS PR66 CAC

Toned with a hint of golden-gray and the fields are ankle deep with watery reflectivity. Outstanding quality!

PCGS 298, NGC 186, CAC 72. A tough one to earn CAC approval at this grade level and worthy of a solid bid as a result. The CoinFacts price of \$2,650.00 is perhaps a bit high, but gives one guidance to formulate a proper bid.

PCGS # 3995 | EST: \$1,750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 104

5C 1937 PCGS PR67 CAC

Exceptional icy blue patina with perfectly smooth fields that show stark reflectivity when matched against the devices. Free of all but a hint of tiny carbon specks, and a high-end, original coin that offers stunning eye appeal.

PCGS 447, NGC 362, CAC 233. The last CAC example to trade commanded \$2,233.00 (9/15) and this one will delight any collector.

PCGS # 3996 | EST: \$1,750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 105

5C 1937 PCGS PR68

Glorious teal and rose tints reside on the obverse and reverse over the watery reflectivity of the mirror surface. The strike is sharp and the surfaces are amazing. There is one tiny speck below the date, otherwise this coin could have graded higher. In fact, there is only one single coin graded higher of this date, so don't expect to find a better example.

PCGS 25, NGC 51. One recent auction record of \$12,338.00 (4/15) is noted for a similar coin. If you love quality, look no further than this epic Buffalo Nickel Proof.

PCGS # 3996 | EST: \$9,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 106

5C 1943-D PCGS MS67+ FS

Splendid quality for this popular War Nickel issue that offers a blush of sunset gold and faint teal hues on both sides. The luster is exceptionally strong, and the surfaces satin smooth and undiminished by handling. Fully struck and equally appealing.

PCGS 368, NGC 343. A similar sparkling jewel in this grade landed at \$3,760.00 (8/15) at auction. Only 37 have been graded with the "+" by PCGS and given the handsome toning and vibrant luster, this one should do quite well.

PCGS # 84020 | EST: \$3,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 107

5C 1939 REVERSE OF 1938 PCGS PR68

Deep, vibrant mirrors beam from all over with great clarity, cleanliness, and electric reflectivity, while a rainbow crescent of electric violet/blue/green covers part of the obverse. The balance of the coin is a bold nickel/pale blue/gold. A few tiny scattered toning dots are visible on the reverse. Jefferson and all of the details are fully struck and stand out nicely. The eye appeal is a visual delight!

PCGS 10, NGC 10. The last to sell at auction brought \$11,163.00 (1/14) and this coin should bring some serious action. Good luck!

PCGS # 4176 | EST: \$9,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 108

5C 1939 REVERSE OF 1940 PCGS PR67 CAM CAC

Fully brilliant with no signs of toning whatsoever. The strike is bold, with watery mirror fields offsetting the handsome frosted devices. The majority of 1939 Proof Jefferson Nickels have the type of 1938 reverse, with the minimally defined steps on Monticello. The master reverse design hubs were changed in 1939, and more Proof Jeffersons were struck, thus finding any example with crisp, 1940 style steps is a challenge as not many were struck. With the Cameo designation there are just four coins certified by PCGS! Here is one of the finest graded and a coin that is tied with just one other at this lofty grade level with the Cameo designation by PCGS!

PCGS 2, NGC 1, CAC 2. The only auction record for this issue at PR67 CAM is \$10,350.00 (8/12) and given the strong popularity of the Jefferson Nickel series and how few Cameo examples exist, this one could bring more today!

PCGS # 38532 | EST: \$8,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

LOT 109

H10C 1795 PCGS MS65+ CAC

LM-10. This is an amazing coin, offering not only gem quality but exquisite toning of fiery crimson and neon green surrounding Miss Liberty with matching colors through the wreath enveloping in the eagle. Gunmetal gray and blue elsewhere, with strong luster peeking out from the fields. The strike is bold for this early silver coin, and this despite being struck from rather worn and even broken dies! Note the small chip out of the die at the TY and nearby star of LIBERTY, this is seen on the majority of coins struck from these dies, and it's indeed a wonder that they were not replaced before production continued. Perhaps dies were not available and the day's quota had to be met. Regardless of the reasons, this is one of the finest known of the entire Flowing Hair type, and one that will set any collection well into the memory books of our history. Examination notes bold separation on all of Miss Liberty's curls, her face and neck free from any distracting contact marks, and the eagle too is bold, with strong feathers on his wings and breast. Minor adjustments are noted on the reverse, mostly on the rim but a few drift across the left (facing) wing. These adjustments are commonly seen on these early silver coins, as each planchet had to be weighed, and adjusted if necessary, to reach the narrow tolerance required for circulation.

The Flowing Hair design lasted from late 1794 until the end of 1795 for half dimes. However, it was clearly contemplated that the new Draped Bust design would be adapted to this series, and these were nearly produced. We know this from the fact that an obverse die with the new Draped Bust design was created, and dated 1795, but now coins were known to be produced.

Perhaps the reverse hubs were not yet created, or ready, before the end of the year. That 1795 dated Draped Bust die ended up being used in 1796, with an overdate punched on the final digit, so it read 1796/5. So close yet so far. Thus, only the 1795 Draped Bust Dollars exhibit the new design, adopted in late 1795.

The Philadelphia Mint had to scramble to create new hub designs for the various denominations, and this was clearly well underway all through 1796.

PCGS # 11, NGC 7, CAC 3. Only this coin offers the "+" of the PCGS coins listed here. Finer PCGS examples are sparse, numbering a total of fourteen. This coin should bring in the mid five figures or higher. Anyone who views this amazing coin will want to own it, the toning and strike are absolutely stunning.

PCGS # 4251 | EST: \$35,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 110

H10C 1796 LIBERTY PCGS MS63 CAC EX SIMPSON

LM-1. Fantastic toning from decades in an album where the rims developed incredible neon green and blue shades, with the centers fading over to crimson and purple. Fiery luster beneath and the strike is very strong for this condition rarity. Only a handful are known in Mint State and this choice example will stand tall amongst even the very finest. Rarely are these early silver coins found with such splendid toning! The surfaces are pleasing with little more than a few shallow lines and for identification there is a minor planchet void below the right wing of the eagle, just touching the talon on the cloud nearby. This is known as the LIBERTY variety because of the broken B punch used to engrave that word, which has the appearance of an errant K rather than the intended B.

This coin is tied with at most five others as the fifth finest of the variety. Its color and surfaces make it stand tall and it would undoubtedly measure up well against even technically finer examples. This is one that no collector will ever want to part with, unless a significantly higher grade coin became available. Its color and allure will always be memorable.

PCGS 3, NGC 3, CAC 1. This is the only CAC example at this grade level! The most recent similar auction appearance was for a PCGS MS64 that realized \$35,250.00 (4/14), but this one should bring more, especially given its stellar pedigree and amazing toning. Good luck!

PCGS # 94254 | EST: \$30,000.00+





LOT 111

H10C 1800 LIBERTY PCGS MS63 CAC EX SIMPSON

LM-3. Incredible eye appeal is generated by the fiery orange-gold and crimson peripheral toning around the obverse and reverse, the centers splashed with russet and gold over vibrant luster. The strike is typical with some central softness in the area opposite the reverse die where it was sinking, and this is the commonly seen middle to late die state. There simply wasn't enough power in the strike to bring up the void that had formed at the top left of the shield up to the eagle's beak, and this area then caused the opposing area on the obverse to strike up poorly in Liberty's curls near her ribbon. For identification there is a minor planchet flaw on the rim between the fourth and fifth obverse stars which has folded over a tiny portion of silver, but remains attached. These types of planchet flaws are commonly seen on these early coins and were simply a part of the primitive planchet making process and caused before the coin was struck.

Rarely, and we mean rarely, are these early Draped Bust Half Dimes found with such sensational toning, which is quite dazzling when seen over vibrant luster. The strike is about as good as these ever have with bold detail noted on the tiny branch in the eagle's claw, along with the stars on the right side of the obverse. Clean surfaces in general with a broken and faint hairline down Liberty's profile. While there are a handful of 1800 half dimes graded higher, this piece has such exceptional eye appeal it would be hard to find any coin that improves on this one.

PCGS 16. NGC 5, CAC 5. The most recent offering of an MS63 CAC approved coin brought \$16,4500.00 (4/15) and this one has far better eye appeal.

PCGS # 4264 | EST: \$15,000.00+



LOT 112

H10C 1800 LIBERTY PCGS AU55 CAC

Handsome gunmetal gray toning with lustrous fields on both sides. Boldly struck and carefully preserved with none of the usually seen faults that plague these early half dimes. The surfaces are free of adjustments and any handling issues. The strike is reasonably sharp and even, this is extraordinary as the entire shield is sharp over the eagle, as are the wings—with just a touch of softness found on the upper right, the area opposite Miss Liberty's breast, which is always found soft. Basically there simply wasn't enough silver planchet metal available to strike up both of these features completely, given the depth of the designs and the thinness of the planchet.

PCGS 2, NGC 2, CAC 1. The CoinFacts price of \$11,500.00 should be surpassed by this amazing coin. If you desire this important major type, in high grade with CAC approval, you would do well to capture this when it comes up for bidding.

PCGS # 4265 | EST: \$12,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

LOT 113

H10C 1803 LARGE 8 PCGS AU58 CAC EX SIMPSON

LM-2. Attractive medium gunmetal gray with a blend of both golden and blue accents. The strike is outstanding on Miss Liberty's curls along with virtually the entire reverse where the eagle's wings are boldly defined. The color is uniform and pleasing in every regard. Clean surfaces as well, with little more than a couple of light contact marks from obviously brief circulation. Half dimes are highly collectible, they offer a wide variety of options and grades for every range of collector. The dates are generally obtainable save for the 1802, which is quite rare with perhaps 25 or so known. The 1795 and 1800 date issues are more plentiful than most, but that's by relative standards. When they're found in high grades, such as a few offered in this auction, their appeal is obvious, but don't overlook their rarity!

PCGS 6, NGC 0, CAC 3. The most recent auction record for this grade is \$10,575.00 (8/15), and this one, with CAC approval and such a great strike, should be worth that or more. Good luck!

PCGS # 4269 | EST: \$8,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 114

H10C 1837 NO STARS LARGE DATE PCGS MS66 CAC EX SIMPSON

Frosty and bright with strong luster in the fields and toned with delicate golden accents. This is the first year of issue of the Liberty Seated design, coming in after several months of coinage of the Capped Bust design. When these were launched in mid 1837, the obverse had only two features, the central device of Miss Liberty seated on a rock, holding a shield with one hand, and the other hand holding a pole surmounted by the cap of freedom. Below this is the date 1837. No stars or lettering surround Miss Liberty and the effect is that of a small cameo, which keeps the eye focused on the central features. After initial review from circulation, it was decided to add stars to the obverse, probably to increase circulation years as the stars would help deflect wear from the central devices. The reverse design was not changed until early 1838.

PCGS 31, NGC 82, CAC 11. This is a tough coin to find with CAC approval, so if you need a high quality, high appeal coin, then here it is. Expect to pay a premium for this charming piece, but it will be well worth it.

PCGS # 4311 | EST: \$3,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 115

H10C 1839 NO DRAPERY PCGS MS66 CAC EX SIMPSON

There's no questioning this coin's originality, with gorgeous Mint fresh luster throughout, and rich orange-russet toning mixed with deeper blue shades at the rims. Boldly struck by the dies, and nothing else, there simply are no distracting contact marks to be found. While not the absolute finest graded, anyone would be hard pressed to find a finer coin that had more to offer than this exceptionally beautiful 1839 No Drapery Half Dime.

PCGS 22, NGC 20, CAC 13. This most recent auction record is \$5,405.00 (10/15) for this grade, but this stellar coin should bring even more. Amazing quality like this will always command attention, and a strong price.

PCGS # 4319 | EST: \$4,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 116

H10C 1840-O NO DRAPERY PCGS MS63 CAC

Amazing quality for this scarce issue, and one of perhaps twenty that exist in Mint State. This one is stark white with strong satin luster and bold evidence of die clashing. The surfaces are pleasing for the choice grade assigned. The strike is decent on the obverse, but a trifle soft on the reverse particularly on the ribbon and the dentils.

PCGS 5, NGC 5, CAC 3. Clearly this is a tough issue to acquire with CAC approval and for good reason--not many deserve it! The most recent auction price for this issue and grade is \$5,288.00 (1/13). An important opportunity for the date and Mint specialist.

PCGS # 4322 | EST: \$4,250.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

LOT 117

H10C 1840-O DRAPERY PCGS MS64

This is far and away the finest known of this key date rarity and a coin of historic importance. It is the finest graded by two grade points at PCGS and the finest NGC has certified is a single MS63 of this date and Mint. For half dime collectors this is the Holy Grail of this rare issue, with the 1840-O having the lowest number of certified coins from the series, other than the unique 1870-S! In point of fact, even the vaunted 1844-O has twice as many grading events as the this 1840-O Drapery Half Dime. Ron Guth of CoinFacts advised collectors to not demand full strikes as they are so rare--and states bluntly "However, in this case, the rarity of this date trumps our normal advice to seek out a fully struck example. Take whatever you can get." This advice sums up our experience too.

As if the technical grade wasn't enough, this coin offers a sharp strike too, with bold definition on Miss Liberty and full leaf detail on the wreath. A few areas are not quite bold in the denticles, but they are all present and sharper than usually encountered. The obverse has a thick, bisecting die crack from left of the date that extends up near Miss Liberty's pole arm to the rim above. For the reverse two shallow radial cracks are noted, one through the U of UNITED, the other through the I of AMERICA both extending to the wreath. From a technical standpoint perhaps PCGS felt that the coin didn't have enough eye popping luster to merit an MS65 grade, but it certainly lacks any handling issues that would have kept it from that grade level. The toning is a pleasing blend of russet gold with dappled specks of russet on the obverse, while tinges of lilac and peach cover Miss Liberty. The reverse toning is well matched and attractive.

PCGS 1, NGC 0. We are unsure why CAC chose not to sticker this coin.

PCGS # 4327 | EST: \$30,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.





LOT 118

H10C 1852 PCGS MS67+ CAC EX SIMPSON

This coin's quality is truly high-end. The surfaces are clean to the naked eye, though under a strong loupe you can detect some pinpoint toning dots and light, Mint created die clashing. The luster is strong and there are light traces of semi-prooflike mirrors. Both sides are a creamy white with hints of gold. Miss Liberty and the details are sharply struck and have thick frost. The eye appeal is excellent!

PCGS 1, NGC 0, CAC 1. It's hard to believe there is an MS68 graded by PCGS. The last PCGS MS67 to sell in auction brought \$6,463.00 (6/14) and the current Collectors Universe value is \$8,750.00. Good luck!

PCGS # 4349 | EST: \$6,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

LOT 119

H10C 1853-O ARROWS PCGS MS66 CAC EX ELIASBERG/SIMPSON

Fabulously original with crusty russet and taupe toning on both sides over lustrous fields. This coin has incredibly clean surfaces and exceptional eye appeal. High in the condition census for this date and Mint, with only two coins seen finer at PCGS, and this example is one of just four seen graded this high. As expected, the date is shallow as it was lightly engraved into the die, while the O Mintmark is large and prominent below DIME. A memorable example of this tough condition rarity.

PCGS 4, NGC 3, CAC 4. A similar example with CAC approval brought \$5,405.00 (10/15) but lacked the illustrious pedigree of this coin. Good luck!

PCGS # 4357 | EST: \$4,250.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

LOT 120

H10C 1855 ARROWS PCGS MS67 CAC EX SIMPSON

Shockingly this coin was replaced in its former collection by the 1855-O Arrows NGC MS68, which is now a ridiculous MS67+ CAC Gold Sticker. It's hard to imagine a finer coin exists! The obverse has virtually perfect surfaces and the reverse has one small scuff. Regardless, both sides are incredibly smooth and have traces of slightly semi-prooflike mirrors. The color is a blazing frosty white. Miss Liberty and the details are incredibly struck, stand out boldly, and have thick, iridescent white frost. The eye appeal is tremendous!

PCGS 1, NGC 0, CAC 1. This coin hasn't appeared in auction since 2006, when our sister company Legend Numismatics paid \$17,825.00 (6/06) for this piece to place it in the Law Collection. The current Collectors Universe value is \$20,000.00. Opportunity knocks if you're a New Orleans Mint or half dime collector!

PCGS # 4361 | EST: \$17,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.





LOT 121

H10C 1858 PCGS MS68 CAC

Tied with one other as the finest certified by PCGS of this date, and thus tied for the finest known. Another cluster of four coins are noted by NGC at this same grade level, but none are reported finer by that grading service. The coin here offers fantastic iridescent blue and gold toning, forming the classic gunmetal hues over the fields and devices. The strike is sharp despite extensive die clashing which is apparent on the obverse and reverse. The surfaces are, as expected, essentially perfect.

PCGS 2, NGC 4, CAC 4. No auction results for this particular grade as of yet for a PCGS coin, but CoinFacts offers an estimate of \$13,500.00 for this grade. With CAC approval it should bring that or more.

PCGS # 4367 | EST: \$9,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

LOT 122

H10C 1862 PCGS MS68 CAC EX SIMPSON

This coin was one of three MS68 pieces acquired back in 1998 to start the amazing Law/Simpson Half Dime Collection. Until now, this coin has resided in the set. This glorious coin may be small, but it has big coin blast! The surfaces are sleek and clean overall and do have traces of semi-prooflike mirrors. A tiny patch of toning dots can only been seen with a loupe at 12:00 on the obverse. Otherwise, both sides are a vibrant frosty white. Miss Liberty and the details are thickly frosted and have crisp strikes. The eye appeal is tremendous!

PCGS 4, NGC 5, CAC 2. No PCGS CAC pieces have ever sold at auction but a non CAC approved PCGS MS68 sold for \$7,638.00 (8/15) and the current Collectors Universe value of \$12,500.00 is closer to this coin's true value. We hope the new owner will cherish it as much as the old.

PCGS # 4381 | EST: \$10,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 123

H10C 1866 PCGS MS67+ CAC EX SIMPSON

Tied with one other coin at this grade level as the finest seen of this date! Only 10,000 pieces were struck for general circulation, and most have long since disappeared. For the date specialist, this coin represents the holy grail of quality. Both sides exhibit blazing white luster with satin frost on the devices and slightly reflective fields. Boldly struck by the dies, and the fields of the obverse and reverse both show slight evidence of clashing typical of circulation strikes. This post Civil War issue has long been prized by collectors for the tiny mintage, and at this lofty grade level certainly carries its own credentials! An imposing example that will be a welcome addition to the most advanced collection.

PCGS 3, NGC 3, CAC 5. There are no auction records for this grade as of yet, but CoinFacts provides an estimate of \$10,000.00 for this grade, which is certainly reasonable for a CAC approved coin like this! A fantastic opportunity!

PCGS # 4388 | EST: \$4,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 124

H10C 1863 PCGS PR66 CAM CAC

Gorgeous greenish-gold toning on the obverse with similar matching deep blue on the reverse. A mere 460 pieces were struck and this is certainly one of the finest known today. The surfaces are virtually perfect in their preservation. The base of the 1 is sharply repunched as usually seen on this issue, which adds collector interest. If you demand high quality and strong visual appeal, this is a perfect selection to pursue.

PCGS 6, NGC 6, CAC 3. There are no recent auction records for this date and grade within the last decade, but the current Collectors Universe value is \$3,000.00. High quality like this never goes out of style, especially when found on a coin with such a modest mintage.

PCGS # 84446 | EST: \$2,250.00+
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LOT 125

H10C 1866 PCGS PR66 CAM

A truly incredible coin this is tied with a few others as the finest seen by PCGS of this Proof issue with the Cameo designation! The toning is a mottled blend of vibrant ocean blue mixed with russet-gold with the deepest shades tucked into the recesses of the fields so it accents the devices. Needless to say this is quite a visual treat for the collector! The quality is top notch too, with none seen at the PR67 level or finer by PCGS.

PCGS 4, NGC 5. Two of the PCGS coins offer the "+" designation. The most recent offering at the PR66+ level garnered \$5,581.00 (6/14) and this coin should be worth close to that figure.

PCGS # 84449 | EST: \$3,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 126

10C 1797 16 STARS JR-1 PCGS MS64 CAC

This is one of the finer examples known of this date and is currently tied with two others as the sixth finest certified of the 16 Star variety. The toning is exquisite here with a blend of golden iridescence with flashy deep blue spanning both sides. The strike is decent, enough to bring up the all important curls on Liberty and just lacking a few central breast feathers on the eagle. Clean surfaces as expected for this near gem grade, with little more than a few ticks from gentle handling over the centuries.

The obverse die broke early, similar to that on the 1797 Quarter Eagle obverse, and all known examples show this die crack which extends from the base of the second star through the first star, tops of the date, Miss Liberty's bust to the rim below the final star. In the latest strikes, this piece has moved further and causes the date to be virtually gone and seen as only a faint shadow. Another feature which is often present on 1797 coinage are thick lintmarks as some kind of heavy cloth was used to wipe the dies as coinage continued, and small fragments of this cloth stuck to the die and the threads were literally struck into the surface of the coins being made. One is noted just right of the date, another from the eagle's neck to the top wing at the left, another below the same left wing in the small field. These are a natural part of the production and certainly add to the character of this early and somewhat primitive coinage. Another feature which is notable are a number of the obverse stars are repunched, with extra tiny points sticking out. These early coins have a lot of character, especially when found in full Mint State grades like this.

PCGS 1, NGC 2, CAC 1. There are no comparable auction records for this grade. However, a PCGS MS62 example of this variety sold for \$35,250.00 (4/14) and while this near gem is worth considerably more this will provide some guidance. In addition, the current Collectors Universe value is \$78,000.00, while the Coin Dealer Newsletter has it at \$130,000.00. The stunning Pogue PCGS MS66 example sold earlier this year for \$199,750.00 (5/15). Let's just say this example being sold here is worth somewhere in between. Good luck!

PCGS # 4462 | EST: \$77,500.00+



LOT 127

10C 1807 JR-1 NGC VF25 CAC

Great color and surfaces for the circulated Draped Bust Dime. The fields are bathed in a mix of deep gray with lighter golden gray on the obverse and reverse while the devices show lighter silver accents on the worn areas. This is a fairly early strike for these dies, which soon after this piece was struck became worn and badly clashed. Hence most collectors prefer one of these early strikes.

PCGS 19, NGC 19, CAC 2. A similar NGC VF25 CAC example sold for \$1,645.00 (4/14) and this coin should be worth close to that given the recent softness in the market.

PCGS # 4480 | EST: \$1,100.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 128

10C 1814 JR-3 NGC MS64

Golden gray with flashes of teal and orange in the fields over lustrous surfaces. The strike is reasonably sharp with the radial lines clear on most of the left hand stars, but softer on the right stars. The eagle is also sharper on the left side than the right.

These are very scarce this nice!

PCGS 25, NGC 46. The most recent auction record for an MS64 coin hit \$3,055.00 (10/14), but this coin is certainly nicer as it offers both attractive toning and clean surfaces for the grade.

PCGS # 4488 | EST: \$2,750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 129

10C 1827 JR-6 NGC MS64 EX PITTMAN

Medium silver gray toning with flashes of jewel tones around the rim of the obverse, the reverse with a deeper orange-gold peripheral ring which deepens to velvet green near the dentils. The strike is reasonably sharp particularly on the obverse, Miss Liberty's curls, and most of the stars. Impressive quality and loaded with eye appeal.

PCGS 57, NGC 55. A recent auction price for an NGC MS64 brought \$2,820.00 (4/15), but this could bring more for the nicer toning and important Pittman Collection pedigree. A solid representative of this date!

PCGS # 4504 | EST: \$2,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 130

10C 1830 NGC MS64 CAC

Dusky gunmetal gray toning throughout, and reasonably well struck for an early Capped Bust Dime. The stars are all bold with full radial lines and Miss Liberty's curls are also sharp. The reverse is sharp too save for the feathers on the eagle's neck while the wings and talons are crisply defined. There is a thin die crack through the top of Miss Liberty's cap and another splits the first S of STATES to the scroll below.

PCGS 24, NGC 32, CAC 10. Auction records are consistently over \$2,000.00 for this grade and this handsome coin should bring even more. Good luck!

PCGS # 4516 | EST: \$1,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 131

10C 1829 JR-3 PCGS PR64 CAM CAC





LOT 131

10C 1829 JR-3 PCGS PR64 CAM CAC

This is the only 1829 Cameo Proof graded by PCGS! It's a no nonsense Proof with tremendous reflectivity in the fields and the devices are heaped with satin frost. The surfaces are incredible with no detracting marks whatsoever. At most there are some trivial ticks in the fields and the Cameo frost on Miss Liberty is unbroken by handling marks or scuffs. The reverse is also incredible with a needle sharp strike that brought up every nuance of the devices while the fields are glassy and reflective, right down to the vertical stripes within the shield. The color is essentially white with a light golden patina in the obverse fields, matching on the reverse.

The JR-3 die pairing is known to have produced Proof coins, along with the JR-4 and JR-7 varieties. For the JR-3, this is identified as having a double edge dentil below the 1, seen here. For the reverse die, the second T in STATES is high relative to the E. In the discussion of the 1829 dimes in Proof, Ron Guth of CoinFacts notes that some of the JR-3 Proofs are questionable, this clearly does not refer to this example, as it screams "PROOF" from across the room, especially with the Cameo contrast! So if anything there may be fewer known than previously believed. Between both grading services a total of eight coins are reported, with duplication likely in that number. Only two Cameo coins are reported, this and another NGC PR64, which could possibly be the same coin. Clearly more research will yield a more accurate count as to how many exist.

By the time this coin was struck the new style of die had been adopted. Notice the high ringed continuous lip on the obverse, in prior years of 1827 and back the obverse dies lacked any such raised lip. The reverse die also has this feature but it is much less pronounced, and also of note are the almost beaded dentil instead of the usual triangular teeth like dentils that extend in from the rim. This style of dentils was adopted along with lipped dies when the Rush & Muhlenberg coining press was installed in late 1827. All coins smaller than the half dollar were struck on this press, and the raised lip dies became standard by 1829 on our smaller coinage.

PCGS 1, NGC 1, CAC 1. Auction records for this date in Proof are even tougher to find than the Proof dimes themselves! The only recent example we could find was for the PCGS PR66 coin at \$70,500.00 (7/15) of the former Eliasberg Collection. While this coin is not quite as nice technically, it does offer superior Cameo contrast which is highly desirable! Needless to say, any offering of a Proof 1829 dime is something to strongly consider if you are a serious student of this series.

PCGS # 84548 | EST: \$34,000.00+



LOT 132

10C 1841 PCGS MS65 CAC

Glorious pale green and golden iridescence throughout, with sparkling luster beneath and a bold and defining strike. About as perfect as any collector could hope to find on this early Liberty Seated dime!

PCGS 8, NGC 8, CAC 7. The similarly graded Gardner coin brought \$4,700.00 (10/14) but it had a bit richer toning. This one is certainly elegant and makes for a good comparison!

PCGS # 4579 | EST: \$4,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

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LOT 133

10C 1844 PCGS MS66 CAC EX SIMPSON

This is the finest known Little Orphan Annie 1844 dime! The surfaces and luster are incredible, with glowing white frost on the devices offset by handsome semi-reflective fields. The strike and surfaces are exceptional, with no distracting disturbances. The original mintage of 72,500 pieces left few for today's collectors in any grade, perhaps 1,000 pieces in all. Of that modest group there are no more than sixteen Mint State coins known today, with this one clearly the finest of that select group.

Frank Ross of Kansas City was a collector who took an early shine to this issue in the 1930s. Ross hoarded this date, obtaining every example he could quietly purchase. He then published articles about the rarity of this date and its low mintage, and dubbed this issue "Little Orphan Annie" after the comic strip that was wildly popular at that time.

Collector interest grew, and presumably Ross sold his hoard of 1844 dimes to the collectors for a small but useful profit. Given the limited number that survive, the 1844 dime has continued to be the focus of hoarders. While available in most circulated grades, in Mint State the rarity of this issue is understated if anything, and it truly deserves all the attention that Ross initially gave this date. After generations of collectors have come and gone, the desire to obtain one of these "Little Orphan Annie" dimes lives on, and the story created continues to enhance the demand for this scarce issue.

PCGS 1, NGC 0, CAC 1. There are no auction records for this particular coin, and CoinFacts lists an estimate of \$55,000.00 for this coin, which seems more than reasonable for this ultimate example of the famous Little Orphan Annie dime! Good luck!

PCGS # 4585 | EST: \$45,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.





LOT 134

10C 1858-O PCGS MS66+ CAC

This is the sole MS66+ certified by PCGS and the finest they have seen of this tough date and Mint. The toning is absolutely stunning, with rich regal blue shades mixing with vibrant russet and gold on the obverse, the reverse with matching deep blue around the legend with the centers a classic rose-gold. Only one coin can compete for the finest and that's the NGC MS67 that is completely white and lacks the character of this elegant example.

Therefore, if you want a wholesome toned coin that offers amazing surfaces, this is a winning selection. The strike is sharp throughout and the surfaces a delight to examine. It would be hard to imagine a coin any finer of this challenging issue. A mere 290,000 pieces were struck and this one stands out as the finest. Pictured on the CoinFacts website to represent the issue.

PCGS 2, NGC 1, CAC 2. This is the only PCGS coin that offers the "+" grade, and the other example has not been auctioned. This same coin did cross the auction block a while back for \$21,150.00 (6/14) as an MS66 and has since upgraded with the "+". A simply phenomenal example!

PCGS # 4617 | EST: \$20,000.00+



LOT 135

10C 1859 PCGS MS65 CAC

Gorgeous peacock toning on both sides, the obverse with a classic lilac ring that covers the stars and most of the field, with the center lighter and toned with teal and gold over Miss Liberty. The reverse has matching colors but is more of a uniform patina of light teal, yellow and russet with a few richer deep patches at the rims. Boldly struck by the dies and the surfaces are pleasing too. Jaw dropping eye appeal here, so don't miss out.

PCGS 20, NGC 28, CAC 11. This is the Newman coin which brought \$8,225.00 (11/13) when it was in an NGC holder. The value here is in the colorful toning, but this gem coin is nothing to sneeze at!

PCGS # 4619 | EST: \$5,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 136

10C 1859 PCGS MS67 CAC EX SIMPSON

This exciting coin is well worthy of its lofty designation. Remarkable surfaces are mark free, even under a strong loupe, and while there are some light Mint created die polishing lines, they do not interfere with the grade. A strong luster enhances vivid blue/gold/russet colors that are splashed all over. Miss Liberty and the details are frosty and crisply struck. The eye appeal is dramatic!

PCGS 15, NGC 19, CAC 7. The last to sell at auction brought \$5,288 (12/14), but it was not nearly as colorful as this gem!

PCGS # 4619 | EST: \$4,250.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 137

10C 1860-O NGC XF45

This is a key date and condition rarity that is seldom found in high grades. The present offering shows a somewhat granular patina with a steel gray color mixed with darker gold flecks. The strike is sharp!

PCGS 3, NGC 5. The last auction price for an NGC XF45 hit \$4,025.00 (4/06) nearly ten years ago, that's how infrequently these turn up! While the surfaces here are not perfectly smooth, this one is graded, and that means it is much better than the majority of those that survive. Only 40,000 were minted and no more than 400 are known today--if that many!

PCGS # 4632 | EST: \$3,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 138

10C 1863-S PCGS MS65+ CAC EX SIMPSON

A monster example of this rare issue, and a coin that is the finest specimen of this date graded by PCGS. There are precious few known in Mint State and this one is probably the finest. The only competitor is the Eugene Gardner specimen that resides in an NGC MS66 holder and sold for \$30,550.00 (5/15). We feel this coin is much nicer, plus it has CAC approval, unlike the Gardner coin. Struck during the depths of the Civil War, but far away from the conflict in the East, these San Francisco dimes entered circulation with little fanfare, and were in great demand to make change in the channels of commerce. The original mintage dribbled to a halt at 157,500 pieces, and from this tally at most twenty still have claims to Mint State. gems are downright rare and between both services only three have been certified.

This condition rarity is blazing white in color, with full radiant luster and outstanding surfaces. The color is bright silver white, with just a whisper of gold toning starting to appear. The fields and surfaces have no deep marks, and there is little more than a few trivial luster scuffs to recall being handled. The strike is sharp on the legends and Miss Liberty, as well as the reverse where the durum wheat grains show their individual seed lines--a feature that is often blunt on more typical strikes.

PCGS 2, NGC 0, CAC 2. Only this example has the "+" graded from PCGS! Furthermore, this coin holds the record high auction price for this date and Mint at \$48,875.00 (2/08) which still stands tall. If you've been looking for a high-end exceptional condition rarity then look no further than this coin. Good luck!

PCGS # 4638 | EST: \$40,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 139

10C 1868 PCGS MS64

A tough date that is seldom offered at this grade level! Deep gunmetal gray and blue toning dominates the surfaces, with bold definition on all the devices. A few scattered nicks are present, as well as the usual die clashing in the fields. The original mintage of 464,000 pieces has been greatly reduced by time and attrition, with perhaps 40 today that qualify as Mint State, with the balance of the 300 or so known in all falling into circulated grades.

PCGS 12, NGC 10. The CoinFacts value is placed at \$1,500.00 for this date and grade and this one should bring that price or more. A condition rarity that should not be overlooked!

PCGS # 4647 | EST: \$1,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 141

10C 1887 PCGS MS66 CAC

Sharply struck and fully white with ample luster to please the eye. The surfaces are satin smooth and attractive with no detracting blemishes to report.

PCGS 28, NGC 49, CAC 20. The most recent CAC example to sell brought \$1,528.00 (1/15) nearly a year ago. This handsome example should do quite well.

PCGS # 4698 | EST: \$1,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 140

10C 1873 NO ARROWS CLOSED 3 NGC MS63 PL

The fields are wonderfully reflective while the devices are well frosted giving the appearance of a Proof format coin, but the satiny look and careful study reveals it is simply an early strike from well polished dies. The strike is generally sharp but soft on Liberty's head and the left portion of the upper wreath. The Closed 3 variety coins were struck early in 1873, then it was determined that the knobs were nearly closed giving the appearance of an 8 rather than a 3. A new open 3 style was created and new dies were ordered, in the meantime a minor adjustment to the planchet weight was ordered so Arrows were also added to the new style 3 and dies were created with both of these changes.

PCGS 12, NGC 6. Importantly this is the only Prooflike example certified by NGC and PCGS does not recognize the Prooflike qualities as a separate grading designation. If you appreciate mirror like fields then make sure to capture this unusual and possibly unique early striking of the 1873 Closed 3 Dime!

PCGS # 4659 | EST: \$400.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 142

10C 1888 PCGS MS66+ CAC EX SIMPSON

If this coin were in an MS67 holder, we wouldn't even bat an eye. So, as it stands, it is a very high-end MS66+. The surfaces are incredibly clean and smooth, while a full booming luster unleashes a tremendous mix of iridescent reddish gold/pale pearl green/gold/blue colors that wildly swirl all over. Miss Liberty and the details are sharply struck and have bold frost. The appeal is tremendous too!

PCGS 25, NGC 27, CAC 16. PCGS has graded only two coins in MS66+ and the other sold for \$3,055.00 almost three years ago (2/13). We expect this coin see even stronger bidding!

PCGS # 4700 | EST: \$2,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 143

10C 1891 PCGS MS67

Fully white and lustrous, with a few traces of russet toning starting to form. The surfaces are satin smooth with nary a mark or nick to be found. The strike is average for this final year of production of the Liberty Seated design. Tied with a handful of others at the top end of the PCGS coins certified of this date and Mint.

PCGS 10, NGC 21. This coin last sold at auction for \$2,938.00 (9/14). Superb gems like this never go out of style. Good luck!

PCGS # 4706 | EST: \$2,500.00+
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LOT 144

10C 1856 SMALL DATE PCGS PR67 CAC

Tied for the finest known! Stellar aqua blue and lavender toning on the obverse, while the reverse is uniformly cobalt blue. The mirror fields shimmer with perfect reflectivity and the strike is bold throughout. These early Proofs were struck in limited numbers, perhaps as many as 50 pieces were struck in 1856, but today no more than 35 exist. Of those known, this is clearly the finest seen by PCGS, and only two more trail behind at the PR66 level. NGC has graded one in PR68 CAM which compares favorably to this example. For the collector, even gems are tough to find! Needless to say, this is a coin that will stand tall in any advanced collection and represents a huge opportunity to purchase an exceptional example of this scarce Proof issue.

The obverse die has curious but minor blunder, being a doubled-die with the doubling clearly seen on the shield and along the lower drapery folds. All of the Small Date 1856 Proofs struck from this die show this feature. 1856 is also known for the year that the Arrows were removed from the obverse after making their appearance in 1853.

PCGS 1, NGC 0, CAC 1. This is the Eugene Gardner coin that last sold for \$25,850.00 (6/14) but it has since earned CAC approval. Despite the softness in the coin market of late, this powerful superb gem presents a splendid opportunity for the numismatist willing to step up and take advantage of this temporary price weakness. After all exceptional gem coins at the top of the population will surely find a ready market when things recover.

PCGS # 4745 | EST: \$20,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.





LOT 145

10C 1863 PCGS PR66+ CAC EX SIMPSON

Besides being the finest graded Proof, we unhesitatingly proclaim this as the finest toned 1863 Proof dime! Superior deep mirrors command your attention from far away and are crystal clear and wildly reflective, revealing zero imperfections. A monster mix of wild iridescent royal blue/neon violet/tangerine colors circle both sides. Miss Liberty and the details are fully struck and thickly frosted a creamy white. The eye appeal is jaw dropping!

PCGS 12, NGC 24, CAC 7. Only 460 were minted. This coin has never been to auction, but the current Collectors Universe value is \$3,000.00. We expect strong bidding and a strong price!

PCGS # 4756 | EST: \$2,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 146

10C 1868 PCGS PR66 CAM CAC EX SIMPSON

Amazing deep blue and crimson peripheral toning on this stunning gem Cameo Proof! The surfaces are amazing, perfectly preserved with their delicate mirror fields and satin frosted devices. The eye appeal of this coin is simply endless. If you love gorgeously toned gems, then look no further.

PCGS 6, NGC 5, CAC 9. No auction records for this particular coin, which will obviously set a strong price for the exceptional toning combined with the exceptional quality! Good Luck!

PCGS # 84761 | EST: \$2,750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 147

10C 1878 NGC PR64 CAM CAC

Mostly brilliant white on the obverse with a dash of deep russet around the rims, the reverse showing more blue and russet toning into the wreath design with the center bright. Highly reflective fields with the mirrors fully brilliant and reflective. A partial wire edge is evident on both sides. Only 800 were struck and just a small fraction of that number show this desirable Cameo contrast.

PCGS 14, NGC 15, CAC 2. There have been no recent auctions of this date and grade with CAC approval, but we feel it should bring in the \$700 range based on similar dates offered in this grade.

PCGS # 84775 | EST: \$600.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 148

10C 1886 PCGS PR67

Tied for the finest known of this date in Proof with no more than eight others! Outstanding greenish-gold and lilac toning on both sides. The fields are watery and reflective while the devices show the expected frost and contrast.

PCGS 9, NGC 20. The last of these to sell at auction brought \$2,350.00 (6/15) and this handsome coin should bring more for its stellar appeal and gorgeous toning.

PCGS # 4783 | EST: \$2,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 149

10C 1892 PCGS MS67 CAC

Booming aqua and golden toning spans this lustrous superb gem! The strike is full and sharp, right down to the finer nuances of the wreath. The surfaces are outstanding too, with scarcely any signs of contact when closely examined. Amazing quality for this first year of issue of the Barber Dime.

PCGS 16, NGC 21, CAC 18. A recent auction price for a similar PCGS MS67 CAC brought \$3,055.00 (4/15) and this one certainly has exquisite color and strike to add to the premium. Only one of the PCGS coins offers the "+" grade. A perfect way to begin an advanced Barber Dime collection, by securing this stellar coin to represent the first year of issue.

PCGS # 4796 | EST: \$2,750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 150

10C 1894 PCGS PR66 CAC

Vibrant teal and russet toning around the periphery, with the centers offering a delicate gold over frosty devices. The fields are reflective, but have a satiny quality to them as well. Only 972 pieces were struck and this is one of the finer examples seen today.

PCGS 38, NGC 46, CAC 13. A tough coin to find this appealing! Auction records of \$1,175.00 (8/15) provide guidance.

PCGS # 4878 | EST: \$1,100.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 151

10C 1895 PCGS PR67 CAM CAC

Jaw dropping high-end quality on this monster Proof! Deep mirrors beam from all over and are crystal clear, wonderfully clean, and have bold reflectivity. Mother Nature blessed this coin with stunning circular electric royal blue/deep violet/gold colors that hug the peripheries and open into silver centers on the obverse, while the reverse is also adorned by very pretty toning. Miss Liberty and the details are frosted and have full, crisp strikes. The eye appeal is awesome!

PCGS 12, NGC 14, CAC 11. Only 880 were minted and according to our records, the last of these to sell at auction brought \$4,994.00 (4/13). The current Collectors Universe value is \$5,500.00. Proof Barber Dimes graded PR64-67 are definitely a completable set.

PCGS # 84879 | EST: \$3,750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 152

10C 1901 PCGS PR66 CAM CAC

Splendid snow white frost bathes Miss Liberty and the wreath in a warm glow against the stark mirror fields. Free of annoying marks or problems, and entirely handsome for the collector who appreciates quality, contrast, and eye appeal.

PCGS 16, NGC 12, CAC 12. A somewhat dated auction record for a CAC approved coin with Cameo contrast landed at \$2,174.00 (11/13). A great type or date representative!

PCGS # 84885 | EST: \$1,750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 153

10C 1901 NGC PR68 CAC

The finest known! Fiery sunset gold toning combined with deeper blue, violet, and crimson shades in the fields. The reverse is toned with deeper blue and gold shades over perfectly mirrored fields. The original mintage was 813 pieces and this is arguably the absolute finest of those known to survive. NGC has only graded two coins this high, and this is the only one with CAC approval. The finest seen by PCGS is MS67+. Needless to say, this is a tremendous opportunity for the connoisseur who demands the best.

PCGS 0, NGC 2, CAC 1. The record price for this issue holds at \$14,100.00 (5/15) for now, and this coin has a good chance to top that figure! Outstanding.

PCGS # 4885 | EST: \$10,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 154

10C 1912 PCGS PR64 CAM CAC

A white coin with a dusting of russet on the upper rim and barely a hint of toning. Boldly frosted on the devices and the mirror fields are intact save for a couple of trivial wipe lines from long ago handling. Only 700 pieces were struck.

PCGS 11, NGC 2, CAC 3. Pretty tiny numbers reflecting how tough this issue is to find with Cameo contrast. The only recent auction record for this date is \$709.00 (1/13) but that coin was not CAC approved. The current Collectors Universe value is \$975.00.

PCGS # 84896 | EST: \$850.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 155

10C 1921-D PCGS MS65 FB

A fantastic example of this key date, achieving both the gem grade level and a full strike! The color is bright silver with a mere whisper of peach toning. Miss Liberty's face is satin smooth and free of nicks or scuffs. A high representative of this coveted issue that will certainly please any discriminating nummatist.

PCGS 65, NGC 39. A recent auction appearance of a similar coin sold for \$5,640.00 (4/15) and this one should bring a similar price or more!

PCGS # 4937 | EST: \$4,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 156

**10C 1925 PCGS MS66 FB CAC
EX SCHEPPMAN COLLECTION**

This is a fully white coin that shows strong luster, undiminished Mint color, and just a whisper of old patina from long and careful storage. The strike is bold, particularly on the central devices. A challenging coin to find this nice!

PCGS 62, NGC 16, CAC 16. The last CAC example to sell brought \$1,528.00 (12/14) which shows the continued demand for high quality and eye appeal.

**PCGS # 4949 | EST: \$1,200.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.**



LOT 157

10C 1927-S PCGS MS66+ CAC

Towering quality for this date and Mint, with satiny luster throughout and nearly a full strike. The central bands are just a trifle soft to be designated as full. Furthermore this is a scarce San Francisco date that is seldom found this well struck and rarely this well preserved.

In fact, this is the finest certified of the date and mint without the Full Bands designation.

PCGS 6, NGC 9, CAC 1. This is the only "+" graded by PCGS of this designation and this same coin previously realized \$3,303.00 (7/15). An opportunity for the astute numismatist who appreciates quality and eye appeal.

**PCGS # 4964 | EST: \$2,750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.**



LOT 158

10C 1929-S PCGS MS67 FB CAC

Glittering surfaces are mostly light silver but the entire coin is framed in rather intense russet, gold, and yellow shades of color. The strike is absolute and precise, with no signs of softness to be found. From a technical perspective the surfaces are astounding, retaining the superb gem grade and receiving CAC approval. What more could any collector hope to find?

PCGS 44, NGC 10, CAC 18. Of the PCGS coins noted, only the MS67+ is graded higher. The last CAC example to sell of this date with Full Bands brought \$3,055.00 (1/15) but it showed deeper toning. This example should do as well or higher.

**PCGS # 4977 | EST: \$2,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.**



LOT 159

10C 1938-S PCGS MS67+ FB CAC

Resplendent surfaces for the date specialist who appreciates russet and lilac toning as well. Boldly struck throughout and free of contact marks. The strike is full and complete, right to the center of the bands. The toning is primarily around the rims, particularly so on the reverse where iridescent hues reside in deeper russet around the rim.

PCGS 144, NGC 70, CAC 37. Only six of the PCGS coins offer the "+" and just six others are finer at MS68 FB. A similar coin with CAC approval sold for \$2,056.00 (9/13). This is an extraordinary coin!

**PCGS # 5015 | EST: \$1,750.00
This coin is being sold with no reserve.**



LOT 160

10C 1939-D PCGS MS69 FB

Tied with a total of twenty coins as the finest known of this date and Mint with the Full Bands designation. Towering quality and as close to perfection as any collector could hope to find. Generally bright with rich russet, green, and crimson accents at the rims and of course exceptional quality and strike. This is one of the finest certified of any date of Mercury Dime, so don't miss out if you desire something really special!

PCGS 20, NGC 4. Auction records for this date and grade include one at \$9,694.00 (6/15) and this condition rarity is tailor made for an advanced Set Registry collection. An extraordinary opportunity for the specialist!

PCGS # 5019 | EST: \$8,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

LOT 161

10C 1941 PCGS MS68 FB

Tied with a select group of a dozen coins at PCGS for the finest known of this plentiful issue. The color is bright white and lustrous with just a touch of russet gold around the periphery. The strike is bold and powerful, and the surfaces are simply amazing to behold.

PCGS 12, NGC 5. The CoinFacts estimate for this date and grade is \$5,000.00 and auction records are both higher and lower for this date over the last several years. Needless to say, this one will bring a strong price worthy of its grand quality.

PCGS # 5029 | EST: \$3,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 162

10C 1944-S PCGS MS68 FB CAC

Neon green and deep lilac toning spans the entire obverse of this visually stunning gem, while the reverse is more russet over silver. Outstanding quality and extraordinary visual appeal for the toning. Furthermore, this one is tied at the finest certified by both PCGS and NGC.

PCGS 7, NGC 9, CAC 4. The most recent CAC example of this date and grade sold for \$11,750.00 (11/13) a few years ago, but this one with far more intense color could be a runaway! Good luck!

PCGS # 5055 | EST: \$9,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 163

10C 1937 PCGS PR66

Intensely white and reflective with gorgeous watery fields and reflective devices. Super appealing for this issue and grade!

PCGS 547, NGC 416. Auction records are consistent at \$400 and higher for PCGS coins in this date and grade. This one should bring that or more for its absolute white brilliance.

PCGS # 5072 | EST: \$350.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 164

10C 1937 PCGS PR68

Essentially a white coin with pale pastel shades of blue, green and lilac appear, when closely examined under a light. Outstanding quality for this early Proof issue!

PCGS 28, NGC 40. One recent auction price for a matching grade hit \$2,585.00 (8/15). Of the PCGS coins noted only a single one offers the "+" grade. This is one of the finest certified of this popular date.

PCGS # 5072 | EST: \$2,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 165

10C 1937 NGC PR68 CAC

Amazing iridescent rainbow toning spans both sides, with intense green, crimson and lilac rings on the obverse and reverse. This one must be examined closely to fully appreciate the elegance of the toning. Of course the amazing preservation of the surfaces stands out as well, so in combination with the toning certainly presents a compelling opportunity for the specialist.

PCGS 28, NGC 39, CAC 8. This high-end superb gem, with fantastic toning, should bring a solid premium over the usually seen white example. If you love color, and who doesn't? Then bid accordingly.

PCGS # 5072 | EST: \$2,250.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 166

10C 1940 PCGS PR67 CAC

Blast white with silky reflectivity throughout. As nice as anyone could hope to find to represent this popular Proof issue.

PCGS 328, NGC 357, CAC 122. A recent auction price of a CAC approved coin landed on \$376.00 (6/15) and this one should be worth about that.

PCGS # 5075 | EST: \$325.00
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 167

10C 1942 PCGS PR67 CAC

Full Mint brilliance with no signs of toning on this sparkling coin. The strike is bold and the fields show strong reflectivity. An outstanding superb gem!

PCGS 700, NGC 804, CAC 351. A classic type coin or one for the date collector who appreciates quality. A similar coin with CAC approval brought \$280.00 (10/15).

PCGS # 5077 | EST: \$300.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 168

10C 1942 PCGS PR67 CAC

Stark white with glistening watery fields and classic frosted devices. The strike is bold and the surfaces are virtually perfect in quality. No spots or haze here, just glittering silver perfection.

PCGS 700, NGC 804, CAC 354. A recent auction price for a CAC approved example of this date hit \$280.00 (10/15).

PCGS # 5077 | EST: \$275.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 169

10C 1947-S PCGS MS67+ FB

Bullseye toning of rich copper-gold centers with aqua to teal rings on the obverse, and a reverse that is well matched with a blend of crimson, russet, and rose. Boldly struck and exceptional quality for the advanced Set Registry specialist. A powerful example of this tough San Francisco issue at this lofty preservation.

PCGS 42, NGC 72. Only seven of the PCGS coins offer the "+" designation. Auction results for similar coins have landed over \$1,000 for this type of toning, which is exceptionally appealing, so expect a solid and well earned premium when this one crosses the block.

PCGS # 85087 | EST: \$800.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 171

20C 1877 PCGS PR64 CAC

Excellent quality and eye appeal for this rare Proof only issue, with deep gunmetal gray and blue toning throughout. The mintage of 350 pieces is tiny, and survivors at this grade level are tough to locate.

PCGS 59, NGC 51, CAC 7. The last CAC approved example sold for \$7,050.00 (10/12) which is three years ago! A prize for the astute numismatist.

PCGS # 5305 | EST: \$5,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 170

20C 1877 PCGS PR58

This is a rare, gently circulated Proof. Rare in that only 350 pieces were coined, and just a few slipped into circulation, hence this is a challenging coin to find for those who desire a slightly circulated example. The Twenty-Cent Piece denomination was launched in 1875 and lasted just two years until the end of 1876. Proof coin production continued for another two years only, but in limited numbers. For collectors of this series, here is one that will more than satisfy its clean surfaces and golden-gray toning throughout.

PCGS 8, NGC 3. The most recent auction result is nearly seven years old for a PCGS PR58 example at \$4,000.00 (3/09). This series has had two recent books come out so collector demand is certainly growing today.

PCGS # 5305 | EST: \$3,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 172

25C 1821 PCGS VF20

B-3. Attractive light silver devices which stand tall against the deeper charcoal gray fields. The surfaces are smooth and pleasing for a moderately circulated coin. Middle to later die state with a thin crack from the rim through star twelve to Miss Liberty's curls.

PCGS 29, NGC 40. A pleasing example for the collector!

PCGS # 5331 | EST: \$375.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 173

25C 1853 NO ARROWS PCGS MS64

Gorgeous antique toning with a needle sharp strike that is absolutely amazing to behold. All the tiniest nuances of Miss Liberty's hair, dress and toes are boldly executed by the dies, right down to the repunching on the 53 in the date. Matching depth on the reverse where the feathers and claws are exceptionally well defined. Add to this the elegant greenish-russet toning and steel gray fields and you have a decided winner for an advanced collection. These 1853 No Arrows Quarters were struck early in 1853 prior to the needed reduction in the silver content of the planchets, hence most were melted soon after they were coined for the profit that could be had. Precious few survive at all, especially this close to the gem grade!

PCGS 5, NGC 5. No recent auction records are noted, but this one should be worth in the high four figures range, especially for its great quality and toning!

PCGS # 5421 | EST: \$8,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 174

25C 1855 ARROWS PCGS MS63+ CAC

Sparkling and bright with a touch of deep russet-gold toning around the rims. The devices are all well struck and frosty, with no signs of weakness on Miss Liberty's curls or the eagle's claws. The surfaces are attractive too, with a few minor nicks and scuffs, but this is easily a choice example and one that will satisfy any type collector. The Arrows at the date signify a modest reduction in the silver content of the planchet, reduced to bring the melt value of the "quarter dollar" back below the face value. These 1855 Arrows quarters were struck in large numbers, but were also greatly needed in circulation so not all that many survived in choice or finer grades.

PCGS 28, NGC 10, CAC 3. The most recent auction record of a PCGS MS63+ landed at \$1,116.00 (3/15) but that coin did not have CAC approval. This handsome example being offered does have it, and stronger eye appeal as well.

PCGS # 5435 | EST: \$1,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 175

25C 1862 PCGS MS64

Fully white and lustrous, with a bold strike on each and every device. The surfaces show a few minor nicks from handling, but the eye appeal and quality are high-end for this early Civil War issue. Scarce and desirable.

PCGS 46, NGC 42. One auction record of \$1,293.00 (8/12) is out of date now, but provides some guidance. Impressive quality for the grade assigned!

PCGS # 5456 | EST: \$1,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 176

25C 1876 PCGS MS65

Wonderfully lustrous and attractive with a mere hint of patina from long storage. Absolutely splendid quality for this centennial year issue of the Liberty Seated Quarter with Motto as designed by Christian Gobrecht. The curls on her head are needle sharp, along with all other devices, right to the central veins on the feathers of the eagle.

PCGS 46, NGC 47. Recent auction records in the \$1,400.00 range seem about right for this quality.

PCGS # 5501 | EST: \$1,200.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

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LOT 177

25C 1877-S/S HORIZONTAL S PCGS MS66 CAC

This finest known and very rare "Horizontal S" variety looks like a Proof at first glance! The flash on the mirrors is mind boggling! You can only detect some light die polishing lines and tiny tick or two through the use of a strong loupe. Otherwise the surfaces are clean. Both sides have a semi-mottled mix of original russet/pale navy/champagne colors scattered all over. Miss Liberty and the details are fully struck and stand out with thick frost. You don't even need a loupe to see the S/S. The eye appeal actually is dazzling!

PCGS 1, NGC 0, CAC 1. The Collectors Universe value is \$23,500.00. If you collect only the best MS Seated Quarters, this coin is a must buy at today's price!

PCGS # 5507 | EST: \$17,500.00+



LOT 178

25C 1890 PCGS MS65

Amazing russet gold toning on the obverse over slightly reflective fields, the reverse similar but with a deeper blue and russet tone on that side. The light shimmers off the fields when examined under a light source. This is a tough issue to find at the gem grade level, and downright rare with such electrifying toning,

PCGS 35, NGC 31. A recent auction price for a PCGS MS65 coin landed at \$1,645.00 (7/15) and this coin offers great toning so we expect it to bring a strong bid. Highly appealing!

PCGS # 5523 | EST: \$1,250.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 179

25C 1890 PCGS MS66

Scarce and desirable when found this nice, and a fully white coin with a blush of pale gold around the rims. Sharply struck throughout, and super clean surfaces invite study and numismatic enjoyment. A scant 80,000 pieces were struck for the year.

PCGS 23, NGC 23. This same coin sold for \$1,880.00 (4/14) the last time it was offered nearly two years ago.

PCGS # 5523 | EST: \$1,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 180

25C 1890 PCGS MS67+ CAC EX SIMPSON

If you're seeking a special MS Seated Quarter or are building a very high-end set, look no further than this coin! This piece is the ultimate in quality and eye appeal! Remarkable, untouched surfaces are immaculate, with no imperfections to be found, even through a strong loupe. A full, glowing luster shows off gorgeous, original blue/green/tangerine/gold colors that swirl all over. Miss Liberty and the details are frosted and have crisp, stand out strikes. The eye appeal is superb!

PCGS 20, NGC 20, CAC 5. PCGS has graded three coins in MS67+ and one MS68. The last PCGS MS67+ to sell brought only \$6,463.00 a year ago (11/14). That coin's quality was nowhere near the piece offered here! We expect strong bidding here. Good luck!

PCGS # 5523 | EST: \$7,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 181

25C 1859 PCGS PR64+ CAM CAC

Blazing white with no signs of toning here, the devices show strong frost from the dies while the fields fall away with their mirrored contrast. Excellent surfaces with little more than trace lines in the delicate fields, all else shows little evidence of contact. This one truly sits on the line of being a gem!

PCGS 6, NGC 4, CAC 3. This is the only "+" of those noted for the PCGS group. Full gems are worth \$6,000.00 and this one should bring a high percentage of that amount.

PCGS # 85555 | EST: \$2,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 182

25C 1862 PCGS PR63 CAC

A sparkling white coin that shows good contrast as well as a strong strike on all the devices. Production of Proofs came in at 550 pieces for this Liberty Seated Quarter, a tiny sum by today's standards. This one is particularly solid for the grade and would serve to represent either the type or date equally well.

PCGS 49, NGC 27, CAC 5. This one should please most collectors who appreciate clean surfaces, bold strikes, and nice contrast.

PCGS # 5558 | EST: \$850.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 183

25C 1881 PCGS PR66+ CAM CAC

Booming reflectivity and strong contrast between the watery mirror fields and the frosted devices. Only 975 were struck, and this is one of the finest surviving pieces. Both of the 8s in the date show repunching and both the fields and devices are super clean and attractive. The obverse is essentially white save for deep blue and russet around the rims and reaching into the stars. Impressive quality like this is always worth a strong bid.

PCGS 20, NGC 8, CAC 10. Only three of the PCGS coins offer the "+" grade and obviously not many exist this nice or finer! An auction record of \$3,290.00 (10/14) is noted for a white coin, this one with regal toning, but an equal grade should be worth more!

PCGS # 85582 | EST: \$3,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 184

25C 1883 PCGS PR67 CAM CAC

Sparkling and bright, with solid contrast between the mirror fields and satiny devices. Free of toning aside from a gentle golden blush around the periphery. The fields and devices are super clean and free of detracting marks or scuffs. A powerful example of this issue, offering both high technical grade as well as appealing rich contrast.

PCGS 3, NGC 6, CAC 1. This coin last sold for \$7,188.00 (4/12) and this is the most recent appearance of any PCGS PR67 CAM example. If you want a really high-end example of this scarce date in Proof, then here is one to pursue.

PCGS # 85584 | EST: \$6,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

LOT 185

25C 1890 PCGS PR68 CAC

Tied with two others as one of the finest seen in the PR68 category and a coin with considerable pizzazz and appeal. The lower right half of the obverse shows rich gold, russet, and blue toning while the upper left half is mostly white with good contrast. The reverse is toned a rich royal blue with remarkable flash and reflectivity. Only 590 were struck, and this is far and away one of the finest certified today.

The year 1890 is the penultimate year of the Liberty Seated design. Demand for Proof coins dwindled after leading up to this point, so the mintage was modest. The finest examples always command a bold price, as they come with the ultimate bragging rights of owning the absolute and very best example of the issue.

PCGS 3, NGC 2, CAC 3. The only auction record for this grade for a similar toned coin comes in at \$18,213.00 (6/14) and this is the finest certified by PCGS. An important offering and one worthy of any exceptional collection.

PCGS # 5591 | EST: \$15,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.





LOT 186

25C 1892 PCGS MS67 CAC

Fantastic toning here on this superb gem! Fiery greenish-gold and orange-russet comes alive when examined under a light, with dazzling luster throughout. This is the first year of issue of the Barber Quarter series, and this coin was clearly set aside at the time of issue and carefully preserved. The surfaces are outstanding too, but it's the glorious toning that will always hallmark this amazing coin.

PCGS 33, NGC 22, CAC 22. We sold a similarly toned example at this grade level, but without CAC approval for \$3,643.00 (9/15) so this one should be worth more.

PCGS # 5601 | EST: \$3,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 188

25C 1916 BARBER PCGS MS66

Seductive toning of deep russet around the rims fading to greenish-gold around Miss Liberty with deeper gold accents surrounding the devices. The reverse is well matched with the toning in the fields and lighter silver devices. Great contrast!

PCGS 31, NGC 14. Recent auction records include one at \$1,293.00 (8/15) for this date and grade. Worthy of a solid bid.

PCGS # 5673 | EST: \$900.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 187

25C 1908-S PCGS MS65 CAC

A tough date and Mint to find in gem, especially so with elegant toning, a bold strike, and great luster! The original mintage of 784,000 pieces leaves few for collectors to today, most circulated long and hard, and Mint State examples are few and far between. While not the absolute finest of this issue, the present offering will certainly please any specialist who knows quality!

PCGS 14, NGC 12, CAC 6. The last CAC approved example to sell traded at \$3,672.00 (7/13) but it had rather mottled, dull toning. This one should bring more despite the recent market challenges, and again, this is a great time to be buying high-end pieces as they are literally on sale. Good luck!

PCGS # 5652 | EST: \$3,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 189

25C 1896 PCGS PR65 CAM

Considerable contrast exists on this essentially white coin, while delicate traces of gold are noted primarily in the fields. Only 762 pieces were struck, and this splendid Cameo gem will always stand tall to represent this date or type.

PCGS 13, NGC 17. No close matches to this coin have been offered in several years, but it should be worth in the \$1,750.00 range. Scarce and attractive!

PCGS # 85682 | EST: \$1,600.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 190

25C 1902 PCGS PR66

Especially frosty on Miss Liberty's cheek and offering nice contrast with the mirror fields. The centers are bright silver while there is deeper russet, blue, and purple shades that inhabit the fields and rims of the obverse, less so on the reverse. Wonderful watery reflectivity throughout, and a wholesome example of this challenging condition rarity.

PCGS 28, NGC 41. This coin realized \$1,410.00 (4/15) the last time it appeared at auction, which we think was far too low. It should be worth more than that for the quality and eye appeal. Good luck!

PCGS # 5688 | EST: \$1,250.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 191

25C 1903 PCGS PR65+

Handsome lilac and gold toning on the obverse, the reverse showing rich teal and lilac. Watery reflective fields surround frosted devices. Only 755 pieces were struck, and this is certainly one of the nicer examples to survive, especially with such tremendous quality and eye appeal.

PCGS 45, NGC 45. Only this single coin has the "+" designation at this grade level and it last sold for \$1,528.00 (6/13). A lot of eye appeal for the collector!

PCGS # 5689 | EST: \$1,750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 192

25C 1909 NGC PR67 UCAM CAC

Brilliant white with a pale dusting of gold on some of the frosted areas of Miss Liberty. The surfaces are pristine with no disturbances or nicks. Thoroughly impressive quality and splendid eye appeal for this tough Proof issue. Precious few offer the Ultra Cameo designation!

PCGS 0, NGC 1, CAC 1. This is the only 1909 Ultra Cameo Proof graded by NGC and furthermore PCGS has not graded any in their Deep Cameo category. Only 650 pieces were struck in Proof, and this was clearly one of the very first when the dies were able to create the most contrast and depth to the mirror fields. Incredible!

PCGS # 95695 | EST: \$7,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 193

25C 1911 PCGS PR66+ CAM CAC

Rich, smoky gold patina on the obverse with a headlight white area on her laurel crown and cap, while the reverse offers a deeper blend of teal and lilac. Fantastic quality and lovely toning throughout, a combination that never goes out of style. Only 543 pieces were struck, and this is one of the nicest from that modest group.

PCGS 19, NGC 15, CAC 9. Only three of the PCGS coins offer the "+" grade. This coin last sold for \$2,350.00 (1/15) and the current Collectors Universe value is \$2,350.00, but with such great toning and eye appeal, it should bring more today.

PCGS # 85697 | EST: \$1,900.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 194

25C 1913 PCGS PR68 CAC

Tied with two others as the finest known of this scarce Proof issue by PCGS. The toning is elegant, with rich shades of orange, russet and blue spanning the obverse, matching but even deeper in color on the reverse. The surfaces are essentially perfect, with no signs of handling or hairlines seen. Miss Liberty's cheek and neck are free of any scuffs or nicks! A mere 613 pieces were struck, and this one stands tall as the finest to survive.

PCGS 3, NGC 4, CAC 2. The CoinFacts auction price for this grade is \$14,500.00 and given the quality and toning in hand, this one should bring that number or more. A powerful example of this scarce issue.

PCGS # 5699 | EST: \$9,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

LOT 195

25C 1914 PCGS PR67+ CAM CAC

This is the second finest noted in the PCGS Population Report for this low mintage issue and alone in the PR67+ CAM category. The Proof mintage dwindled down dramatically from prior years, with just 380 pieces struck. Furthermore, this example has the scarce Cameo contrast, seen on just a handful of survivors from these dies. The color is essentially white with a dusting of russet and gray around the mirror fields, while the devices are boldly frosted and bright.

PCGS 4, NGC 4, CAC 3. The last time this coin traded it hit \$14,100.00 (4/13) and should be worth that or more today. Given the opportunity in the coin market with prices drifting lower the last year or so, this condition rarity should strongly be considered.

PCGS # 85700 | EST: \$13,000.00+





LOT 196

25C 1916 STANDING LIBERTY NGC AU58 CAC

This offers a solid strike for this prized first year of issue, with light silver-gray surfaces accented by deeper gold in areas and around the periphery. Always in high demand from date collectors, and these 1916 Standing Liberty Quarters are hard to find this well preserved. Most entered circulation and stayed there for many years, this one must have been plucked out and saved soon after its initial release to the public.

PCGS 111, NGC 58, CAC 14. The most recent example to sell brought \$9,988.00 (3/15) that matches this coin.

PCGS # 5705 | EST: \$8,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

LOT 197

25C 1916 STANDING LIBERTY PCGS MS64 FH

Exceptional quality and eye appeal for the delicate pastel green, gold, and blue toning around the rims of both sides. The strike is sharp throughout, and the surfaces are quite clean for the grade assigned. Ample luster resides over the surfaces and in short, there is everything right about this handsome coin! Only 52,000 were struck and these were released simultaneously with the 1917 quarters, so few were even noticed at that time. Thus most entered circulation with little fanfare and stayed there. Near gems like this survived by random chance, and finding one with a sharper strike than average, as noted here is a real delight.

PCGS 131, NGC 49. A similarly graded coin was recently sold at auction for \$18,800.00 (10/15) but it lacked the glorious toning present here so this one should bring more.

PCGS # 5705 | EST: \$15,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.





LOT 198

25C 1917-D TYPE 1 PCGS MS65FH

Blazing and bright white with Mint luster and a bold strike. The surfaces show just a few trivial signs of contact but the eye appeal is strong on this classic Type 1 quarter.

PCGS 291, NGC 199. One recent sale of this date, Mint, and designation brought \$1,058.00 (6/15), but this one should bring more for its brighter and fresher.

PCGS # 5709 | EST: \$900.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 199

25C 1917-D TYPE 1 PCGS MS66 FH CAC

Outstanding steel gray and blue toning on both sides with ample luster to please the eye. Miss Liberty's head is boldly struck as are each of the shield bosses, so all the design elements are crisp and present. These features are lacking on many examples, so finding them on a coin so well preserved is always a pleasure!

PCGS 152, NGC 73, CAC 36. The last auction result for a similar coin but without CAC approval hit \$1,704.00 (9/15) and this one should bring more for its elegant toning and exceptional strike.

PCGS # 5709 | EST: \$1,250.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 200

25C 1917-D TYPE 2 PCGS MS66 FH

Elegant toning of rich teal and rose shades span the entire coin, with ample luster peeking through. The strike is sharp on Miss Liberty, just enough to separate the three leaves on her crown, but a couple of the shield bosses are softly struck, common to this issue. The surfaces are so satiny and pleasing, this is a hard coin to stop admiring! Furthermore it is one of the finer examples certified by PCGS with a mere four pieces seen finer and a modest cluster at this lofty grade level. Perfect quality for the advanced date set collector!

PCGS 21, NGC 3. The most recent auction record for this date, Mint and grade is \$5,875.00 (10/15) for a white coin, this one with pleasing toning could bring more!

PCGS # 5717 | EST: \$5,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

LOT 201

25C 1918-D PCGS MS66+ FH

This monster 1918-D quarter is a mostly white coin that offers vibrant luster and a dash of golden iridescence.

The strike is sharp with each of the three leaves fully defined, but a trifle soft on Liberty's ear and a few of the shield bosses, and this is about as sharp as this issue is ever found. Examination of the surfaces finds little more than a few tiny nicks, mostly on the eagle, while Liberty is virtually pristine in preservation. PCGS has only graded four with the "+" designation of this date and Mint in MS66, with a single coin graded a notch finer. Several thin die cracks are seen, typical of the Denver Mint in this period.

PCGS 25, NGC. As noted only four of the PCGS coins offer the "+" designation and the most recent sale at this grade level brought \$20,700.00 (2/12)

although that example has CAC approval. An impressive coin that will stand tall in even the most advanced collection of this series.

PCGS # 5723 | EST: \$17,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.





LOT 202

25C 1918-S PCGS MS66+ FH CAC

Flashy and bright with just a few traces of pale gold toning on the upper obverse. The strike is sharp with the three leaves clearly outlined but a trifle soft at the base along with the usual few bosses on the shield. Rarely are these elements completely sharp on certain dates and Mints. However, if you want booming luster and Mint fresh surfaces, this is a solid example for the collector.

PCGS 13, NGC 4, CAC 3. Only three of the PCGS coins have the "+" and the absolute finest is a single MS67 graded by PCGS. None of these have sold at auction recently, so the best guide we can offer is the value posted by CoinFacts at \$34,500.00, which seems a little too conservative! Expect to pay a premium to capture this prize.

PCGS # 5725 | EST: \$37,500.00+



LOT 203

25C 1918-S PCGS MS67+ CAC

The finest known 1918-S graded by PCGS, with or without the Full Head designation. Blast white save for a touch of gold and wonderfully original and satiny! The surfaces are pristine with no distracting nicks or scuffs. As to the strike, it is just a touch soft on the three leaves atop Miss Liberty's head, two are clear but that third lower leaf shows the usual softness in definition. The shield has all but two of the bosses sharp. A highly appealing example of this tough issue which has climbed to the absolute pinnacle of preservation when compared with all others known. It would be hard to find a coin even minutely finer than this splendid example!

PCGS 3, NGC 6, CAC 3. There are no auction records for this date and grade, but whatever it brings the new owner will be proud to own the most stunning and technically superior example of this date and Mint! Good luck!

PCGS # 5724 | EST: \$11,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

LOT 204

25C 1919 PCGS MS67 FH

Glorious quality and mostly white on the obverse, with radiant luster and just a light dusting of toning patina, the reverse is well matched but shows thicker toning on that side. The strike is sharp with each of the three leaves complete and the shield bosses are present, although one is softly defined. Of course the surfaces are outstanding, as required to earn the superb grade from PCGS, with no deep scuffs or nicks present. A formidable example of this date, and one that is excelled by only a few coins certified at a higher grade.

PCGS 28, NGC 14. The most recent auction record for this issue and grade is \$9,400.00 (11/15) and this one should bring that or more. Stunning!

PCGS # 5729 | EST: \$8,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 205

25C 1923 PCGS MS66 FH

Sparkling and bright, with no signs of toning to be found! The luster drips off the surfaces and the strike was just sharp enough to form the three leaves on Miss Liberty's head and earn the Full Head designation. This is important as the vast majority of 1923 quarters fall well short of this feature. The two bosses on the shield are just barely visible, but present. Surface quality is amazing as expected earn this towering grade from PCGS. Impressive and desirable!

PCGS 37, NGC 13. A recent auction price for a similar coin hit \$3,525.00 (4/15) and this should provide clarity when this one crosses the auction block.

PCGS # 5743 | EST: \$3,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 206

25C 1923-S PCGS MS66 CAC

Snow white and highly lustrous for this tough issue! The surfaces are outstanding in quality, with no detracting scuffs or nicks. The strike is typical for this San Francisco issue, with a soft central head on Miss Liberty showing only the tips of the upper leaves and the usual two bosses are soft on the shield. The balance of the entire design is well defined and attractive. A handsome example that any collector will treasure.

PCGS 37, NGC 20, CAC 14. The most recent auction record is for \$4,935.00 (8/15) for a similar white coin with CAC approval. A perfect selection for the advanced specialist!

PCGS # 5744 | EST: \$4,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 207

25C 1924 PCGS MS66 FH

Stunning light teal and rose toning spans the entire coin, with underlying luster clearly fresh and undisturbed. Amazing eye appeal for this combination, and a coin with strong "presence" when viewed. Scarce this nice and worthy of a strong bid in order to capture this condition rarity.

PCGS 58, NGC 22. A similar coin recently sold at auction for \$1,998.00 (8/15) and this one should bring more for its outstanding toning and luster.

PCGS # 5747 | EST: \$1,750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

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LOT 208

25C 1926-S PCGS MS67

This is the sole and finest known 1926-S quarter graded by PCGS in either designation. Exceptionally original with gleaming luster and incredible iridescent toning primarily on the obverse. The strike is a hair's breadth, or perhaps we should say a leaf, from the Full Head designation as the top two leaves are sharp but the lower third leaf is not quite defined. The surfaces are satin smooth and free of all but a few trivial nicks. Scarce at this lofty grade level and highly appealing for the date specialist.

PCGS 1, NGC 2. There are no auction records for this stunning coin and what it will bring is only guesswork. The final price for this ultimate 1926-S quarter will depend on how much the ultimate collector wants to stretch. Expect past records to fall when this one crosses the auction block!

PCGS # 5758 | EST: \$10,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 209

25C 1927 PCGS MS65 FH

Flashy and bright, with a strong luster and a strong strike throughout. The surfaces are satin smooth and show only a few tiny flecks of russet and a dusting of gold toning on the reverse. The three leaves on Liberty's crown are complete and there is only a whisper of softness on the usual two shield bosses. A pleasing example of this Philadelphia issue.

PCGS 132, NGC 71. Recent auction record of \$646.00 (2/15) for a good match to this coin being offered here. Good luck!

PCGS # 5761 | EST: \$500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 210

25C 1930-S PCGS MS65FH CAC

Highly lustrous and attractive for the toning which ranges from russet to greenish gold iridescence, primarily on the reverse. The strike is sharp, enough to define the three leaves on Miss Liberty's head. Excellent surfaces and a solid example of this final year of issue for this series.

PCGS 169, NGC 129, CAC 18. This is clearly a tough issue to find with CAC approval! The to sell with CAC approval brought \$793.00 (8/15).

PCGS # 5781 | EST: \$700.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 211

25C 1932-D PCGS MS65 CAC

This is the key condition rarity to this series, and gems have always been tough to acquire. Here is one with CAC approval and a coin that has outstanding qualities. Notice the delicate silver-gray patina with golden accents around the rims. The strike is sharper than usually seen, but where this coin really stands tall is in the quality of the surfaces. Precious few survive at the gem level and these are always in strong collector demand as the key date and Mint to the Washington Quarter collection. Here is a solid representative of this prized issue!

PCGS 82, NGC 25, CAC 14. Notice how few have earned CAC approval of this issue! Given that only five PCGS coins are graded higher--and three of those are MS65+, this gem example should certainly be strongly considered. There are precious few that can favorably compare, much less surpass the amazing quality of this gorgeous piece. One recent auction of a nicer than average specimen commanded \$14,100.00 (8/15) but that coin did not have CAC approval. This one should bring a commensurate price with its amazing quality.

PCGS # 5791 | EST: \$10,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.





LOT 212

25C 1939 PCGS MS68

Blast white and virtually perfect quality for any Set Registry collector who desires a stunning example of this date and Mint. The luster is powerful and Mint fresh, with just a few hints of toning to attest to the bold originality of this majestic coin. The strike is bold, and the surfaces are free of bagmarks. A strong loupe finds that Washington is super clean, as is the eagle, right to the top of its breast, where the luster is unbroken and unmarred. This is quite unusual for a Washington Quarter of this era as these were packed in bags and rolls, where the coins had multiple opportunities to jostle about, incurring tiny nicks that drag down the majority into lower grades. Here is one that stands tall, one that is tied with a handful of others as the absolute finest known!

PCGS 10, NGC 6. A recent auction record for this date and grade landed on \$7,285.00 (1/15), though that piece had CAC approval. Regardless, this one should be worth close to that figure.

PCGS # 5808 | EST: \$6,250.00
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 213

25C 1940 PCGS MS67+ CAC

Amazing quality combined with incredible toning of vibrant russet, gold, and violet around the rim of the obverse, the reverse with russet shades. Fully struck and free of all but the smallest hints of contact. PCGS has graded 26 with the "+" designation and just two are finer, both at MS68 at the very top. This one is destined for an advanced Set Registry collection where it will take its place of honor to represent this issue.

PCGS 140, NGC 175, CAC 38. The most recent auction record for a CAC approved example at this grade level brought \$705.00 (8/15). This particular coin being offered has far better toning and will undoubtedly bring a stronger price.

PCGS # 5811 | EST: \$600.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 214

25C 1944-D PCGS MS67+ CAC

Amazing quality for the collector who desires fiery Mint luster and a dash of handsome russet toning. The strike is sharp and the surfaces are satin smooth with nary a nick to be found. Tied for second finest with a select group, just a notch below the top at MS68.

PCGS 114, NGC 474, CAC 37. Only fourteen of the PCGS coins noted offer the "+" designation! The most recent auction price for a CAC approved coin is \$1,410.00 (3/15) and this one has both nicer color and toning.

PCGS # 5825 | EST: \$1,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 215

25C 1937 PCGS PR67 CAC

Fully brilliant and white, with glittering reflectivity throughout. No signs of toning and the surfaces are amazing! An exceptional early Washington Quarter in Proof.

PCGS 110, NGC 102, CAC 50. The most recent CAC example at this grade level commanded \$1,058.00 (8/15) at auction, but this one should bring more for its glorious quality and strong visual appeal.

PCGS # 5076 | EST: \$750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 216

25C 1942 PCGS PR68 CAC

Tied with eight others as the finest known certified by PCGS! Toned with a pale blue and gold halo around George Washington, with matching peripheral toning on the reverse. The centers are bright save for a hint of natural haze. This is a coin that any collector will fall in love with again and again! The eye appeal is jaw dropping!

PCGS 9, NGC 23, CAC 7. The last CAC approved example to sell hit \$10,575.00 (6/15) and this one, with even nicer toning should bring a higher price.

PCGS # 5981 | EST: \$9,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

LOT 217

50C 1796 15 STARS O-101 PCGS VF30

R-5. Amato #137. A wonderfully wholesome and original coin that has long been known to be one of the most difficult type coins to obtain in any grade. Only 3,918 pieces of the Draped Bust, Small Eagle type were struck in both 1796 and 1797, and survival rates were tiny. Research by numismatist Jon Amato has documented only 74 distinct examples of the 1796 15 Star variety and of that meager number approximately 30% are damaged with tooling, scratches, or cleaning that keeps them from being graded. That puts even more pressure on the few coins like this that offer attractive surfaces, color, and are trouble free. The strike is well balanced, and the wear is even and light on the high points of the design. Remarkably there are no adjustment marks or rim bumps on this coin. For identification, there is a thin, short pin line in the field left of the eagle's neck. This coin would clearly make a welcome addition to any advanced collection.

After the initial but modest production of half dollars in 1794, the Philadelphia Mint really cranked up the presses in 1795, striking nearly 300,000 coins of this denomination, all of the Flowing Hair design. Apparently demand was satisfied for the time being, as so few half dollars were then struck in 1796 and 1797, and all of these were the Draped Bust, Small Eagle style during these two years only. Half dollar production then came to halt until resuming in 1801, and by that time the new Heraldic Eagle reverse style had been adopted. Needless to say, demand from date, variety, and type collectors alike keeps pressure high when one of these 1796 half dollars appears on the market, and bids can come from many possible suitors.

PCGS 8, NGC 4. There are no recent auction records for a PCGS VF30 coin but there is one for a PCGS VF35 coin at \$106,500.00 (1/14) that will offer solid guidance. The last time this appeared at auction was at the FUN sale in 1982! Ex: New England Rare Coin Galleries, January 1982, lot 614. If you have been waiting to find a pleasing mid Very Fine example of this prized issue, then look no longer!

PCGS # 6057 | EST: \$67,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.





LOT 218

50C 1797 O-102 PCGS F12

R-5+. Amato-#528a. This is a rare and desirable type or date coin that is seldom offered at all. The fields are a slightly deeper lilac gray while the devices are lighter silver gray. The surfaces offer no deep marks but there are light hairlines spanning the worn centers. It appears that the dies were slightly misaligned as the upper rim is soft while the lower portion is bold. Advanced die cracks are present (always seen) splitting the second obverse star into Miss Liberty's hair. This coin is a recent discovery from an old collection that was purchased from Sheridan Downey in the early 1980s and did not make it into the original publication of Jon Amato's reference *The Draped Bust Half Dollars of 1796-1797* that was published in 2012. It has been added to his notes recently and given the addendum number of Amato-#528a.

What makes these coins so popular with collectors is their rarity. In 1796 and 1797 only a small number were struck, a mere 3,918 pieces, of which only a few hundred remain today. The production over two years spans four distinct die pairings, with this particular one by far the rarest and most difficult to obtain. Amato notes that only 36 examples are known (including this new one), and of that modest number fourteen of these have significant surface problems.

Hence, for the collector looking for a wholesome coin, there are only 22 possible examples of the Overton-102 variety known. A great opportunity to purchase this rarity!

PCGS 10, NGC 10. Recent auction records include a PCGS F-15 with CAC approval at \$70,500.00 (9/15) of this date. This one is probably worth a bit less for the grade, but the rarity of the O-102 variety will definitely be worth a premium.

PCGS # 6060 | EST: \$45,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 219

50C 1810 O-101A NGC AU55 CAC

Handsome deep ocean blue toning washes over the fields of luster while Liberty's curls and the eagle's feathers display deep originality. Rather sharp save for the left wing of the eagle which shows moderate softness. Clean surfaces and exceptional eye appeal that is worthy of any advanced collection!

PCGS 106, NGC 59, CAC 10. This one will do quite well given the splendid surfaces and outstanding toning. Rarely are these early Capped Bust Half Dollars found with such great color and quality!

PCGS # 6095 | EST: \$1,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 220

50C 1815/2 O-101A PCGS AU50 CAC

Exceptional quality for this key date issue, and far and away more attractive than the vast majority of 1815 half dollars, even those in higher technical grades! Enjoy the elegant russet iridescent toning around the devices, with fiery luster beneath. Notice how Miss Liberty is accented by the toning, which adds further depth to her profile and intricate curls. The reverse is well matched to the obverse, with light silver-gray dominating and gorgeous toning accents around the lettering and devices.

The 1815 half dollars were delivered on January 10, 1816, all 47,150 pieces, literally hours before the fire at the Philadelphia Mint's rolling mills. This fire halted production of precious metal coins until the building and equipment could be rebuilt or repaired. Hence coinage dated 1816 was limited to Large Cents, where the planchet stock was still being imported and thus not affected by the damage to the rolling mills. No silver or gold production was struck after this fire until 1817 when the equipment was restored.

PCGS 22, NGC 19, CAC 4. The CoinFacts value for this date and grade is \$11,000.00 which seems like a bargain for a coin of this memorable quality. If you want a really nice specimen to represent this key date, then look no further than this offering.

PCGS # 6108 | EST: \$9,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 221

50C 1824 O-115 PCGS MS64

Tied with a couple others as the third finest of this die variety, this handsome example offers russet toning with green accents in the fields. The surfaces are satin smooth and clean, with no distracting nicks or cuts. Particularly sharp on the stars and all of Miss Liberty's curls, and these features are further offset by the elegant toning.

PCGS 92, NGC 93. A recent offering of a PCGS MS64 coin brought \$4,230.00 (9/15) and this example now being offered has much more attractive toning.

PCGS # 6137 | EST: \$3,750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 222

50C 1827 SQUARE BASE 2 O-106 PCGS MS64

The strike is really sharp on Miss Liberty's curls and the surfaces are a delight of satin luster. This is one of the finer examples known from these dies, as few were so well preserved from that early period in our history. The entire coin is bathed in rich greenish gold toning with deeper russet accents around the rims. Impressive!

PCGS 92, NGC 93. A similar PCGS MS64 example of this date sold for \$4,230.00 (9/15) and this one should bring that amount or more.

PCGS # 6144 | EST: \$3,750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 223

50C 1832 SMALL LETTERS PCGS AU58 CAC

Soft steel gray toning with a mix of lighter golds over luster. The strike is sharp and the surfaces satin smooth and sweet. Scarce and desirable!

PCGS 386, NGC 483, CAC 71. A similar example brought \$764.00 (10/15) at auction but it did not have CAC approval. This one should bring more!

PCGS # 6160 | EST: \$700.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 224

50C 1834 LARGE DATE SMALL LETTERS PCGS AU58

Dusky gray-gold toning over lustrous surfaces that are quite attractive. The strike is average and the surfaces pleasing when examined.

PCGS 96, NGC 527. The most recent auction result traded at \$705.00 (9/15) for this grade, but a coin with this much luster should bring more!

PCGS # 6165 | EST: \$650.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 225

50C 1834 LARGE DATE SMALL LETTERS O-106 PCGS MS65

Exceptional quality and certainly within the Condition Census for the die variety at the gem level. The surfaces are a delight with regal golden gray hues dominating both sides along with a dash of fiery red and green iridescence in the fields. Booming luster and exceptionally clean throughout. The strike is sharp on the central devices, but some of the stars lack their full radials as always seen on this variety.

A formidable type representative for the advanced collector who demands gem quality. Precious few Capped Bust Half Dollars are known above the choice MS63 grade, so finding one this nice is a real treat. Make sure to view its charms prior to the auction.

PCGS 14, NGC 79. A similar example of a Large Date Small Letters sold at auction for \$9,988.00 (8/13) and this one with such clean surfaces and iridescent toning should bring that or more. Good luck!

PCGS #6165 | EST: \$7,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 226

50C 1837 REEDED EDGE PCGS AU55 CAC

Lustrous and bright silver steel in color! The central devices are boldly struck while the obverse stars are a trifle soft at their centers. An important type coin and one of the first series struck on the new steam driven coining press at the Philadelphia Mint. The surfaces are clean save for minor handling lines, but they are free of deep nicks or scuffs.

PCGS 246, NGC 159, CAC 23. A recent auction price for a similar coin came in at \$529.00 (8/15). Important as a short-lived type coin and worthy of a strong bid.

PCGS # 6176 | EST: \$450.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 227

50C 1837 REEDED EDGE PCGS MS65 CAC

Deeply toned with rose and greenish tints over deep gray on the obverse while the reverse shows lighter shades with orange and russet accents surrounding the devices. Boldly struck throughout, with each star showing full radial lines and Liberty's curls incredibly sharp. The surfaces are also outstanding, as expected for this gem grade! If you want a high-end and richly toned example for your collection, this is an excellent selection.

In 1836 the Philadelphia Mint finally achieved a long standing goal of having a steam driven coining press. This meant that striking pressure would no longer be as varied as when coins were struck by men using a screw press. The mechanics of the steam press allowed for more precise and consistent striking pressure, as well as more uniform sizes to coins. This would thwart many counterfeiters who would be unable to match the high quality of the coins now being produced. In 1837 these Reeded Edge Half Dollars flowed into circulation, and this one was obviously set aside and carefully preserved.

PCGS 21, NGC 46, CAC 12. The CoinFacts auction estimate is \$22,500.00 for this date and grade, which is usually close when a coin has CAC approval as noted here. A condition rarity that should not be overlooked!

PCGS # 6176 | EST: \$17,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 228

50C 1839-O REEDED EDGE PCGS XF45

Classic steel gray color throughout and the surfaces are pleasing. Many collectors fail to realize that the vast majority of these 1839-O half dollars have suffered mishandling and cleaning, so finding one this well preserved is quite a treat. While most collectors understand that the New Orleans Mint opened in 1838, they only struck a few dozen (if that many) of the 1838-O half dollars. By 1839, that Mint did produce a significant number so that most collectors can obtain an example if they desire to. This example shows the usual die cracks through the center of the date and around the reverse periphery.

PCGS 89, NGC 28. The most recent auction price for this grade is \$2,560.00 (11/14). A scarce issue!

PCGS # 6181 | EST: \$2,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 230

50C 1847-O PCGS AU58

Bright and lustrous with ample silver gray color and no signs of toning beyond a hint of gray patina. Well struck on the devices and offers attractive surfaces that display little more than a few minor scrapes from brief circulation. The date is slightly repunched low on the 1 and 7.

PCGS 9, NGC 13. There are no recent PCGS auction records for this date and grade, but an NGC AU58 realized \$558.00 (8/14). This attractive coin should do even better.

PCGS # 6259 | EST: \$500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 229

50C 1839 SEATED NO DRAPERY PCGS AU53 CAC

Gorgeous, rich gunmetal-blue toning throughout, spanning both the obverse and reverse. The strike is sharp on Miss Liberty and the stars, matching on the reverse save for a hint of softness on the left leg of the eagle. Faint roller lines are noted on the reverse, which were imparted to the silver ingot when the planchets were being rolled out and were nearly flattened by the strike as intended. Clean surfaces and a fantastic example of this first year of issue for the Gobrecht Half Dollar with the Liberty Seated design.

PCGS 9, NGC 5, CAC 1. This is clearly a tough grade to find, especially with CAC approval! A similar PCGS AU53 example brought \$2,585.00 (10/14), but this stunning, toned coin could bring even more with CAC approval!

PCGS # 6230 | EST: \$2,250.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 231

50C 1849 PCGS MS63 CAC EX SIMPSON

This amazing, high-end piece was acquired many years ago by Mr. Simpson through our sister company, Legend Numismatics. The surfaces on this special 1849 half dollar look clean to the naked eye, but with a strong loupe you can find are some tiny, scattered ticks. A surprisingly intense luster enhances aqua blue/pale violet/pale purple colors on the obverse, as well as purple felt toning on the reverse. Miss Liberty and the details are fully struck and the eye appeal is phenomenal, especially for an MS63 considering how dull this date usually comes!

PCGS 11, NGC 15, CAC 4. The current Collectors Universe value is \$2,300.00. We expect strong bidding here!

PCGS # 6262 | EST: \$2,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 232

50C 1853 ARROWS AND RAYS PCGS AU58 CAC

Here is a satiny sweet coin that offers virtually full Mint State appeal with delightful golden russet toning and strong Mint luster. Important as a type issue, as the Arrows and Rays coins were only issued in 1853. Although issued in tremendous numbers for the era, not that many survived in high grade, as there was tremendous need for silver coins in circulation in 1853. For the collector who appreciates eye appeal and quality, this example should be pursued!

PCGS 86, NGC 174, CAC 21. There is a recent auction price realized of \$1,234.00 (10/15) but that coin was not CAC approved. This one with stronger luster and great surfaces should bring even more.

PCGS # 6275 | EST: \$1,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 233

50C 1855-S ARROWS PCGS AU58

Outstanding quality for this elusive date and Mint! The entire coin is satiny and lustrous, with an even light golden glow that shows a finely patterned gold layer on the obverse likely from envelope storage, the reverse is more uniform and a trifle lighter in color. Although 129,950 pieces were struck the vast majority were lost or melted long ago. High grade pieces are downright rare, with Mint State coins prohibitive and number just three or four pieces! Hence the finest most collectors can obtain is a Fine or so example from these dies. Here is a stellar AU58 coin that offers both ample luster and high quality! A delightful example of this condition rarity that should be secured if you are serious about this popular series.

PCGS 4, NGC 5. The most recent auction record is for \$13,806.00 (10/15). Clearly demand for Liberty Seated Half Dollars continues to grow, with the greatest pressure always directed at key dates and condition rarities, like this one!

PCGS # 6284 | EST: \$11,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

LOT 234

50C 1861 PCGS MS66 CAC EX SIMPSON

This former Simpson Collection coin is one of the wildest toned No Mottos you will see in any grade! From the moment it found its way back to our offices, we haven't been able to put it down! The surfaces are remarkably clean, with only a few tiny, scattered ticks. A full, booming headlight luster explodes from all over and shows off the silky white undipped surfaces. An electric band of royal blue/forest green/rose/plum colors circles both sides in the most dramatic fashion. This coin is a true masterpiece! Miss Liberty and the details are lightly frosted and fully struck. The eye appeal is outstanding!

PCGS 14, NGC 4, CAC 11. We believe the CAC population represents multiple submissions. This is the first auction appearance of this gem and we think it may spark a bidding war! The Collectors Universe value of \$13,500.00 is a bit too low in our opinion, especially since you can't go out and find anything remotely similar in any date, not just 1861!

PCGS # 6302 | EST: \$12,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.





LOT 235

50C 1871-S PCGS AU55 CAC

Lustrous beneath a layer of eye catching deep blue with traces of silver peering through. The strike is a trifle soft, typical of this issue, but the important design elements are sharp enough. Scattered handling marks when examined, but they are all light and not detracting. Residual luster shines through from the fields.

PCGS 27, NGC 19, CAC 6. Auction records are low for average coins but when a splendid example like this appears, expect to pay a well deserved premium! Everything is a delight to view and study in terms of color, quality, and surfaces.

PCGS # 6332 | EST: \$225.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 236

50C 1882 PCGS MS66 CAC

Exceptionally original with regal antique gold and blue toning on both sides, which beautifully accents the devices and nuances of the design. The fields are reflective as the die polish never had a chance to wear down. The total mintage for the year came in at a paltry 4,400 pieces tying the lowest mintage of the series with the 1884 half dollar issue! Naturally Mint State pieces are tough to find, especially at the gem or finer grade. There are only three coins graded higher at PCGS of this date!

PCGS 9, NGC 2, CAC 1. A recent auction record of a non CAC coin brought \$5,288.00 (7/14) but this offering has far more color and character! Good luck!

PCGS # 6364 | EST: \$4,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

LOT 237

50C 1861 PCGS PR66 CAC EX SIMPSON

Phenomenal quality and eye appeal! Deep, electric mirrors beam from all over with amazing clarity, cleanliness, and intense reflectivity. The obverse has a monster circular ring of original royal blue/lime/rose/violet/pale purple, while the reverse is mostly blue/pale purple/pale gold. Miss Liberty and the details are fully struck with a dusting of frost. The eye appeal is stunning!

PCGS 4, NGC 8, CAC 2. Only 1000 were minted, but many were also melted due to poor sales. PCGS has graded none higher and no PCGS CAC piece has ever sold at auction, but the current Collectors Universe value is \$11,000.00. This piece will be the crowning achievement for any Proof half dollar or Civil War era collection! This coin has been off the market for a very long time!

PCGS # 6415 | EST: \$10,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.





LOT 238

50C 1865 NGC PR68 EX SIMPSON

This incredible piece is the finest known non Cameo 1865 Proof half dollar, quality typical of the Simpson Collection! Outstanding, deep, icy mirrors beam vividly from all over. They're also crystal clear and boldly reflective, revealing zero imperfections. Mother Nature rewarded us with moderate swirls of olive/purple/violet/green spread over both sides. Miss Liberty and the details are thickly frosted and have pinpoint sharp strikes. The eye appeal is fabulous!

PCGS 0, NGC 1. Only 500 pieces were minted. Our sister company Legend Numismatics purchased this coin on behalf of Bob Simpson for \$36,800.00 over ten years ago (3/04). There is no Collectors Universe value, but making its first auction appearance in eleven years should push it beyond \$50,000.00. it's hard to even find a PR67, with the last one selling back in 2013. We can't stress enough what an incredible opportunity this is for any Civil War or Proof Seated Half Dollar collector. Good luck!

PCGS # 6419 | EST: \$37,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 239

50C 1868 PCGS PR66 CAM EX SIMPSON

This magnificent gem previously resided in the Simpson Collection, one of the finest coin collections ever built. Incredibly deep mirrors boom from all over with tremendous clarity and blinding reflectivity, revealing zero problems of any kind. There are subtle bands of deep royal blue/violet by parts of the upper rims. Miss Liberty and the details are fully struck and have thick, booming iridescent white frost. Expect to get lost in the deep, glassy mirrors!

PCGS 3, NGC 3. Only 600 were minted. We recently sold a similar coin for \$8,816.00 (10/15) in our October 2015 Regency Auction XIV, but that piece had a little more peripheral toning. This coin has been sent to CAC, but did opt not to sticker it. We expect strong bidding on this wild piece.

PCGS # 86426 | EST: \$6,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 240

50C 1875 PCGS PR67 CAC

This is likely tied with a couple of others as the finest known of this issue, and a famous coin that has resided in some of the top collections known for obtaining the finest available coins. First off, this superb gem Proof was in the Phil Kaufman Collection and from there it was purchased by Gene Gardner for his collection. Today it is available again. Will you add your name to this list of distinguished collectors?

The toning is a peacock display of teal, russet, and gold, handsomely arranged in concentric rings on the obverse. The reverse is more uniform in color with the full vibrancy of the mirror surface still shining through. To say the colors are extraordinary may be an understatement. Pictured as the lead coin for the date on the CoinFacts website and with good reason, it's probably the most stunning 1875 half dollar in existence!

PCGS 3, NGC 5, CAC 3. There is one finer noted in the NGC Census. The last time this coin sold was for \$12,925.00 (5/15) but it has since changed from NGC to PCGS at the same grade level and with CAC approval on both.

PCGS # 6436 | EST: \$12,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 241

50C 1881 PCGS PR66 CAM CAC EX COL. GREEN-NEWMAN

Glittering and bright with a dash of russet and teal around the rims. The Cameo contrast is quite evident, as the devices jump off the mirror fields when viewed under a light. Only 975 pieces were struck and this is one of the finer examples seen today.

PCGS 6, NGC 17, CAC 5. We last sold one of these for \$7,638.00 (5/14), but this should be worth more with the Newman pedigree. Exceptional quality!

PCGS # 86442 | EST: \$6,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 242

50C 1882 NGC PR66 UCAM EX SIMPSON

Gorgeous, vibrant white with no signs of toning, and outstanding contrast between the mirror fields and frosted devices. The strike is bold throughout, and the surfaces are undisturbed by time, handling, or hairlines. If you love stark white coins with bold contrast then here is a stunning example to obtain!

PCGS 5, NGC 3. A similar graded coin brought \$6,900.00 (5/09) and this is the most recent offering at this grade level with this designation. This coin will certainly turn heads whenever it is displayed!

PCGS # 96443 | EST: \$4,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 243

50C 1888 PCGS PR66+ CAC

Outstanding flash and glorious, icy teal toning resides on both sides. Considerable frost on the devices is offset by the depth of the reflectivity. A small portion of the obverse and reverse offers the lighter silver-rose flash, while the balance of the coin shows the rich and attractive blue shades that define quality. Miss Liberty is sharply struck, and this stellar coin is not at all dull, but powerfully original.

PCGS 12, NGC 14, CAC 8. This coin last sold for \$4,230.00 (1/15) and should be worth more now. This date is seldom found so well preserved and this is the only "+" example graded of the PR66 coins, with only three noted finer in the PCGS Population Report for this date. Handsome quality like this never goes out of style.

PCGS # 6449 | EST: \$3,750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

LOT 244

50C 1891 NGC PR68* CAM EX SIMPSON

Phenomenal eye appeal and quality. This is undoubtedly the finest known 1891 Proof half dollar.

First off it is tied with one other as the only PR68 certified, both with Cameo contrast, but the other one is the Kaufman coin which is simply white. This coin has explosive deep blue and russet peripheral toning on the obverse and reverse, with both sides showing blazing white frost at the centers. The surfaces are virtually pristine, with the watery reflectivity undisturbed by handling. In short this is a stunning and captivating coin, the kind that no collector will ever want to part with. Just take a look and see!

PCGS 0, NGC 2. The past auction record for this grade is \$13,225.00 (1/03) which is nearly thirteen years old and for a different coin that offers no appealing toning. This one should blow through that price and keep on running!

PCGS # 86452 | EST: \$9,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.





LOT 245

50C 1892 PCGS MS66+ CAC

Awesome originality with satin frost throughout. Graced by teal and russet accents surrounding the devices of the obverse while the reverse is more uniform in color with flashes of crimson, blue, and gold in the fields. This is the first year of issue of the Barber Half Dollar series, and this coin was clearly set aside from the time it was struck and carefully preserved.

PCGS 47, NGC 36, CAC 20. Here again, only four of the noted PCGS coins offer the "+" designation, and this one is certainly one of the most handsome! This precise coin sold for \$4,722.00 (1/15), but should bring more today for the quality and color. Good luck!

PCGS # 6461 | EST: \$3,250.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 247

50C 1908-O PCGS MS65

Fully white and lustrous, with a bold strike and clean surfaces throughout. This is plentiful date but not when found at the gem level! Handsome quality with a clean cheek and neck on Miss Liberty.

PCGS 37, NGC 41. One recent auction record of \$2,115.00 (6/14) seems about right today. An enticing example in every regard.

PCGS # 6514 | EST: \$1,250.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 246

50C 1907-O PCGS MS63 CAC

First Generation OGH. Fully struck and well preserved with ample luster and classic deep greenish-gold toning which surrounds all the devices. Excellent surfaces and strong visual appeal for the collector.

PCGS 53, NGC 43, CAC 5. The most recent auction record for this grade is \$1,116.00 (8/15) but that coin was not CAC approved. This one is likely worth more, especially for its quality and stunning toning.

PCGS # 6509 | EST: \$950.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

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LOT 248

50C 1908-O PCGS MS67

OGH. A condition rarity and tied with a modest group as the second finest seen by PCGS of this date and Mint. The toning is exquisite with irregular russet-gold dominating and flashes of rich blue and greenish teal near the rims. Vibrant luster resides in the fields, keeping the eye appeal high. Boldly struck too, right down to the tiny claws on the eagle. An impressive example for the date and Mint specialist.

While this issue is rather plentiful, there simply are not many that survive in the superb gem grade range. This one was certified long ago and retains the old green insert in the PCGS label. With the continued growth in collectors seeking high grade coins for their date and Mint sets, pieces like this are sure to find many suitors. A New Orleans classic!

PCGS 14, NGC 7. Only one coin has been graded higher at PCGS! A recent example sold at auction for \$15,275.00 but that one had CAC approval. Don't miss out!

PCGS # 6514 | EST: \$10,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 249

50C 1894 PCGS PR67

Phenomenal lilac and crimson toning on the obverse, while the reverse is well matched with additional teal shades tucked into the fields. Boldly struck throughout, and well frosted on the devices. This is a low mintage, scarce, early Barber Half Dollar, and one which any collector will long cherish.

PCGS 10, NGC 20. The most recent auction appearance of this date and grade hit \$4,406.00 (6/15). Being tied with the finest seen of this issue certainly presents a memorable opportunity for the specialist!

PCGS # 6541 | EST: \$3,750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 250

50C 1896 PCGS PR65 CAM

Solid flash from the fields accents the frosted devices. The toning is limited to the fields of the obverse, but deeper and richer on the reverse where it spans the eagle as well. Notice the deep crimson and velvet green jewel tones that appear when studied under a light, and these are sure to please any specialist. A lovely example!

PCGS 10, NGC 13. The most recent auction appearance of this date and grade garnered \$2,820.00 (6/14) but lacked attractive toning. This one should bring more for its elegant appeal.

PCGS # 86543 | EST: \$2,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 251

50C 1896 PCGS PR66+ CAM CAC

An essentially white coin with strong frost on the devices and handsome glassy fields. There is a dash of pale gold toning, especially around the reverse periphery. Only 762 pieces were struck and this is near the very top of those known today. It is tied with two others at the PR66+ grade and topped by four others at most at PR67. Hence, this sparkling jewel would make a welcome addition to any advanced collection! There are only a couple of certified Deep Cameo coins so don't expect to find one of those to represent the 1896 issue.

PCGS 13, NGC 13, CAC 7. The most recent auction price for a PR66+ hit \$8,050.00 (6/11) which is a little dated now, and CoinFacts gives a value of \$5,650.00 for this grade. An impressive coin!

PCGS # 86543 | EST: \$4,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 252

50C 1899 PCGS PR67 CAM EX SIMPSON

This near miss Deep Cameo piece is a monster stunner! Remarkably deep mirrors explode with amazing clarity, cleanliness, and blinding reflectivity. There are no problems to be found, save for a few light Mint made die polishing lines on her cheek. Miss Liberty and the details are fully struck and have wild, thick iridescent white frost. The eye appeal is jaw dropping!

PCGS 6, NGC 14. Only 846 were minted and the last to sell at auction brought \$9,400.00 (3/09). This coin was submitted to CAC but unfortunately failed to sticker. If every PR67 CAM Barber Half Dollar looked like this, they would all bring astronomical numbers! Good luck!

PCGS # 96546 | EST: \$7,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 253

50C 1899 PCGS PR67+

Classic gunmetal blue and rose toning spans the entire surface with lemon-gold accents around the periphery. The fields are super clean and show only the faintest traces of handling lines as expected for this amazing high grade. Quality is first and foremost, and add to this mix the stunning toning and you have a real opportunity.

PCGS 6, NGC 10. This is the only PCGS coin to offer the "+" and furthermore there is just one seen finer by that service at the PR68 level. No auction records exist for this particular grade, but the PR68 coin brought \$11,163.00 (8/15) and that provides guidance.

PCGS # 6546 | EST: \$6,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 254

50C 1900 PCGS PR66+ CAM CAC

Glittering white and frosty on the devices, with glassy reflectivity in the fields. The extreme rims show a touch of deep blue and russet toning, otherwise this one is stark white! Great contrast and exceptional quality for this issue! This high-end coin is clearly one of the finer examples to exist today and well above the majority of the 912 pieces struck of this date.

PCGS 22, NGC 25, CAC 18. Of the PCGS coins noted only seven offer the "+" and fewer of those likely have CAC approval as found here. A wildly attractive coin! We sold a vividly toned coin at this grade level for \$3,760.00 (9/15) and this one should bring even more for its splendid visual appeal.

PCGS # 86547 | EST: \$4,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 255

50C 1905 PCGS PR66+ CAC

Smoky gold to gunmetal gray toning on both sides of this sparkling jewel. The strike is bold, and the surfaces are well preserved. This one was probably stored in an old paper envelope for decades to become toned like this. Mintage of 727 pieces, this one near the top of those known today.

PCGS 26, NGC 27, CAC 8. This is the only one of the PCGS coins to offer the "+"! Furthermore PCGS has only graded fifteen pieces finer. A condition rarity that should bring a strong price!

PCGS # 6552 | EST: \$3,750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 256

50C 1909 PCGS PR67 CAM

Blazing bright white with abundant frost on the devices and a solid degree of contrast between the mirror fields and devices.

A scant 550 pieces were struck, and most of course lack the Cameo contrast offered here. A fantastic and desirable example for the numismatist!

PCGS 9, NGC 12. There have been no recent auction sales of this date with the Cameo designation in several years, so there is likely to be considerable demand. PCGS has graded three in PR68 CAM and none finer. A splendid opportunity!

PCGS # 86556 | EST: \$7,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

LOT 257

50C 1916-D PCGS MS66 CAC

Fantastic quality and eye appeal for this first year of issue. The obverse and reverse scream with Mint luster. Both sides are framed in iridescent blue and russet shades while the centers are headlights of luster. The strike is sharp, right down to Miss Liberty's thumb and skirt lines. A perfect selection to represent this important and tough issue to find above the gem grade!

PCGS 62, NGC 40, CAC 15. A similar CAC approved toned coin sold for \$5,640.00 (8/15) and this should bring a similar or even higher amount. Eye appeal and quality is everything these days, and when a coin like this comes along any specialist would be wise to secure it!

PCGS # 6567 | EST: \$5,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 258

50C 1917 PCGS MS66

Snowy white save for a tiny gold speck on Miss Liberty's dress. This is amazing quality for this second year of production of Walking Liberty Half Dollars, as most show far more handling evidence and lack the vibrant luster of this piece. The strike is sharp throughout, and the surfaces are free of all but a few tiny nicks in the right obverse field.

PCGS 95, NGC 38. Recent auction records include \$2,233.00 (6/15) for a similar PCGS MS66 coin. This sparkling piece should be worth that or more today. Good luck!

PCGS # 6569 | EST: \$1,500.00+
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LOT 259

50C 1918-D PCGS MS65 CAC

OGH. Exceptional quality for this key date! This is the third most challenging issue of the entire Walking Liberty Half Dollar series to find at the gem level or finer. Here is one of the few to achieve this grade milestone, and did so long ago when PCGS used the green colored inserts their labels. The surfaces are so well preserved one must really hunt to find any signs of contact with other coins. There are no detracting specks or spots, and the color is a rich silver white with a hint of gold. The strike is sharp save for a few of the central skirt lines, but her thumb is well defined. Booming luster throughout and clearly a coin that was never dipped and left alone in all its original glory.

In gem condition, only the 1919-D and 1921-S are tougher to find in this series, so this 1918-D is held in good company!

The luster is satiny and uniform between the devices and fields. This gives the entire coin a pleasing brightness which keeps the eye appeal strong. The reason that this particular date is so difficult to find in gem mirrors that of the 1919-D, simply most were not saved. These were widely distributed in the midwest at the time of issue, few were saved and clearly just a handful today can earn the gem level of preservation from PCGS--here is one of those few. Don't miss out if you are a serious collector of the Walking Liberty Half Dollar series, as another may not be available anytime soon.

PCGS 28, NGC 12, CAC 7. Only four are finer at PCGS, one in MS65+, the others in MS66. Finding this date with CAC approval is quite an undertaking! The last PCGS CAC piece to sell at auction brought \$35,250.00 (8/15). Don't miss out.

PCGS # 6575 | EST: \$25,000.00+
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LOT 260

50C 1920 PCGS MS65 CAC

Attractive russet and gold toning spans both the obverse and reverse of this boldly struck coin. Vibrant luster is clearly present, and the toning simply adds to the allure. A tough date and mint that is worthy of a strong bid for this quality is seldom seen!

PCGS 97, NGC 42, CAC 12. A similar coin without CAC approval brought \$3,995.00 (8/15) so this handsome coin with elegant toning should bring more.

PCGS # 6580 | EST: \$3,250.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 261

50C 1923-S PCGS MS66 CAC

OGH. A classic condition rarity of this key date and Mint that should not be overlooked by specialists. The strike is bold, right down to the dress lines and thumb on Liberty, as well as on the eagle's breast. Even the dreaded right field is cleaner than expected. One tiny nick near Miss Liberty's knee is noted, while the reverse is well matched in quality. Bright and lustrous with a dusting of dusky gold on both sides with flashes of iridescence around the rims. This date and Mint is virtually impossible to obtain this well preserved!

Only a few are seen finer at PCGS, and downright rare this well preserved! The 1923-S issue is the toughest of those after 1921 to find above the gem level, and this prize will never need to be upgraded!

PCGS 6, NGC 5, CAC 6. This same coin recently brought \$25,850.00 (8/15) which is too low for its quality and this condition rarity. Let's see if the market can show us what this rarity should bring!

PCGS # 6586 | EST: \$22,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 262

50C 1929-D PCGS MS66

Snow white and fresh with incredible surfaces for this early date Walking Liberty Half Dollar. The luster is vibrant and the eye appeal exceptional. Notice too, the depth of the strike at the centers, Miss Liberty's thumb is present and her skirt lines show the fine linear depth. Tied with a select group as the finest of this issue that is readily obtainable, and topped by a mere three coins graded at PCGS at higher levels. Impressive!

PCGS 65, NGC 14. The most recent auction price for a similar coin is \$3,500.00 (4/15) but that coin had rather dull toning and lacked the vibrancy of this elegant and charming specimen.

PCGS # 6589 | EST: \$3,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 263

50C 1934 PCGS MS67 CAC

A wholesome coin that exudes original luster and delicate golden patina on both sides. The strike is absolute and bold, right down to Liberty's well defined thumb. The surfaces are remarkable as well, with clean fields, even the open right obverse where bagmarks are so commonly found! If you want quality, eye appeal, and original appeal, look no further.

PCGS 154, NGC 96, CAC 29. Notice how few offer CAC approval at the MS67 grade! The most recent auction sale of a CAC coin hit \$1,293.00 (2/15). A most satisfying example!

PCGS # 6592 | EST: \$1,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 264

50C 1935 PCGS MS67 CAC

Booming white luster with a hint of delicate peripheral patina. The surfaces are satin smooth and all but free of scuffs or nicks, while the strike is sharper than average. Tied with a few dozen as one of the finer examples of this date, and exceeded by a scant four coins at PCGS! Glorious collector quality.

PCGS 48, NGC 40, CAC 21. A close match to this coin with CAC approval just commanded \$4,935.00 (8/15) at auction and this one should match or exceed that price.

PCGS # 6595 | EST: \$3,250.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 265

50C 1937 PCGS MS67+ CAC

Gorgeous quality! This is one of the finest coins certified by PCGS of this date and Mint and exceeded by just five specimens at the MS68 level. Fantastic brightness, luster and strike, with a hint of ancient patina from careful storage when closely examined. The fields and devices are a delight to examine as they are so clean and free of contact.

PCGS 147, NGC 102, CAC 63. Only fifteen of the PCGS coins offer the "+" grade like this one, and finer examples are sparse at just five coins. We sold a close match to this coin at \$3,525.00 (9/15) and this one should bring a similar price.

PCGS # 6601 | EST: \$2,750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 266

50C 1937 PCGS MS67+ CAC

A white coin that shows just a whisper of pale golden iridescence. The strike is bold on the skirt lines and Liberty's thumb is outlined clearly. No distracting nicks are present in the fields or the devices, keeping both the eye appeal and technical grade high. An important offering for the date and Mint specialist who desires quality and brilliant specimens.

PCGS 146, NGC 102, CAC 63. All these numbers reflect the MS67 and MS67+ grades combined. Remember that only fifteen of the PCGS coins have the "+" and combined with those with CAC approval, that number is undoubtedly less! We sold a similar CAC approved coin of this date and grade for \$3,525.00 (9/15) and this one is more satiny and white. Impressive quality never goes out of style.

PCGS # 6601 | EST: \$2,750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 267

50C 1937-D PCGS MS67

Snow white and radiant with satin luster throughout. The strike is bold on all the skirt lines and Miss Liberty's thumb. Examining the surfaces will note a blizzard of thin die lines, these were literally created at the Denver Mint when the new dies were brushed before inserting them into the coining press, and appear as direction random lines crossing through the fields and sometimes over the devices, and of course are a natural part of the minting process. There are so few nicks or bagmarks that the eye is naturally drawn to this minute features. A truly exceptional and appealing superb gem!

PCGS 57, NGC 36. Only one of the PCGS coins offers the "+" grade. A close match to the present white coin is one that sold for \$3,290.00 (6/15) at auction. This one should do even better as its strike and eye appeal are so pleasing.

PCGS # 6602 | EST: \$2,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 268

50C 1938-D PCGS MS65 CAC

Snow white with rich, creamy luster drenching both sides. The surfaces are satin sweet, with nary a nick or mark to be found, representing a solid gem coin. The strike is firm on all but the center where Miss Liberty's thumb is a trifle blunt. The mintage for the year is 491,600 pieces, coming in at the third lowest for the series behind only the 1921 and 1921-D.

PCGS 880, NGC 404, CAC 96. A recent auction sale of a CAC approved example at MS65 brought \$1,175.00 (9/15). This one should be worth a similar amount.

PCGS # 6605 | EST: \$900.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 269

50C 1940-S PCGS MS66 CAC

Sharper than average in strike, which is important on these San Francisco issues from this period. Fully white and lustrous with great eye appeal!

PCGS 430, NGC 171, CAC 98. We last sold a close match to this specimen for \$1,234.00 (9/15) and expect this radiant jewel to do as well.

PCGS # 6610 | EST: \$1,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 270

50C 1941 PCGS MS67+ CAC

Blast white with full radiant luster and a bold strike. This is about as nice as any collector can hope to acquire especially if building a high-end collection of this popular series. Close scrutiny finds a few tiny flecks of russet toning, further attesting to the original nature of this impressive Walking Liberty Half Dollar.

PCGS 625, NGC 641, CAC 298. Only 56 of the PCGS coins offer the "+" grade and a tiny number of those would have earned CAC approval like this piece. A recent auction price for a similar coin with CAC approval hit \$999.00 (9/15). This is your opportunity to secure a sweet example of this Philadelphia date.

PCGS # 6611 | EST: \$900.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 271

50C 1941 PCGS MS68 CAC

Glistening white luster with a pale greenish-gold patina from careful storage. The surfaces, including the terror of all Walking Liberties--the right field, are downright pristine! Boldly struck and exceptional quality for any date of this series for a circulation strike coin. Tied with a very select group as one of the finest certified of this date by PCGS.

PCGS 21, NGC CAC 9. We sold a close match to this one for \$7,050.00 (9/15) and this one should meet that price! Unsurpassed by any certified at PCGS.

PCGS # 6611 | EST: \$6,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 272

50C 1943 PCGS MS66+ CAC

Mostly satiny and bright save for a deep russet, green, and crimson arc at the top of the obverse and with matching but lighter toning on the lower reverse. Outstanding surfaces and eye appeal, and this one has never been dipped to attain such rich and vibrant toning.

PCGS 3,196, NGC 2,893, CAC 355. Auction results for a non CAC approved PCGS MS66+ coin hit \$223.00 (4/15) so this one should be worth more. A high-end coin for the grade!

PCGS # 6618 | EST: \$175.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 273

50C 1943 PCGS MS67+ CAC

Toned with an arc of sunset gold on the upper left obverse, with vibrant luster throughout and a bold strike. Scarce this nice and the finest examples are just above at MS68.

PCGS 499, NGC 587, CAC 141. Of the PCGS coins noted only 35 have the "+" designation and a mere eight have been graded finer at MS68! Outstanding quality for the date or type collector.

PCGS # 6618 | EST: \$1,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 274

50C 1947-D PCGS MS67 CAC

Spectacular toning of jewel colors at the base of the obverse while the reverse shows considerable russet-gold over lustrous surfaces. Boldly struck throughout, and carefully preserved to retain such a lofty grade. Scarce this nice and topped by just three PCGS coins that offer the "+" above, but no full MS68's have been certified by that service.

PCGS 32, NGC 58, CAC 15. This stunning coin should bring a strong price for the added toning and incredible quality.

PCGS # 6631 | EST: \$4,750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 275

50C 1936 PCGS PR64

Bright and reflective with no signs of toning on either side. The strike is bold as expected for a Proof, and this one has clean surfaces too.

PCGS 636, NGC 404. The most recent auction record for this date and grade realized \$1,880.00 (8/15).

PCGS # 6636 | EST: \$1,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 276

50C 1936 PCGS PR66 CAC

As perfect as one could hope to find with a solid strike, clean white surfaces and no impairments from handling. It would be hard to find fault with this excellent example of this first year of Proof coinage after a long hiatus at the Philadelphia Mint, and these are all scarce today when found this well preserved.

PCGS 295, NGC 326, CAC 90. A comparable CAC approved coin realized \$3,995.00 (10/15). This one should be worth that or more for its exceptional brightness and surfaces.

PCGS # 6636 | EST: \$3,250.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 277

50C 1938 PCGS PR65

Blazing bright white with no signs of toning or haze. A solid gem to represent this important Proof issue.

PCGS 793, NGC 452. These usually sell in the \$750.00 range for this grade.

PCGS # 6638 | EST: \$650.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 278

50C 1942 PCGS PR67 CAC

A white coin save for a hint of deep iridescence around the rims of both sides, and showing hints of wonderfully original patina over the reflective silver surfaces. Boldly struck as expected, but far and away nicer quality than often encountered. Scarce at the superb level and a wholly desirable example of this prized issue.

PCGS 838, NGC 897, CAC 337. A well matched CAC example at this grade level garnered \$823.00 (8/15) and this one should bring that or more given its toning accents.

PCGS # 6642 | EST: \$700.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 279

50C 1948-D PCGS MS66+ FBL CAC

A powerful example of this date that has all the bells and whistles a collector wants: high grade, CAC approval, and satin white surfaces that show just a whisper of gold toning. As fresh and original as anyone could hope for, with outstanding quality in terms of surfaces and strike. This is the first year of issue of the Franklin Half Dollar series, the honor of appearing on our coinage seems to have been long overdue for this instrumental founding father.

PCGS 196, NGC 52, CAC 48. We sold the last CAC example at this grade for \$2,115.00 (9/15) but it had deep russet toning that added interest. This one is certainly quite desirable and would fit into a high-end white set of this series.

PCGS # 86652 | EST: \$1,200.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 280

50C 1949-S PCGS MS67 CAC

This is the key date to the series, and this example offers rich neon shades from long storage in an original Mint set! The obverse shows deeper crimson and neon green around the rims, while the reverse is lighter with scattered flecks of russet. Fairly sharp but not quite enough for the FBL designation, as commonly seen on the San Francisco issue. A prize for the date collector who demands quality combined with eye appeal!

PCGS 9, NGC 7, CAC 8. A recent and similarly toned CAC example sold for \$4,113.00 (1/15) but this coin has more colorful hues on the obverse and should be worth an even stronger bid. Don't miss out if you need this key date with outstanding visual appeal and epic quality.

PCGS # 6655 | EST: \$3,250.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 281

50C 1951 PCGS MS66 FBL CAC

Delicate taupe and pastel gold toning on both sides with a bold strike throughout. The strike is full and sharp while the surfaces are pleasing with minimal signs of handling. A solid representative for the collector.

PCGS 155, NGC 29, CAC 33. The last CAC example to trade brought \$447.00 (6/15) and this one is worth that or more.

PCGS # 86658 | EST: \$400.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 282

50C 1951 PCGS MS67 FBL CAC

Crackle gold toning on the obverse and reverse resulting from long storage in an original Mint Set with diagnostic greenish-russet hues that are generally light and pleasing, and slightly deeper tones at the rims. What stands tall here is the amazing quality of the surfaces as Franklin Half Dollars are rarely found with such superb surfaces. Furthermore the strike is bold throughout, right down to the all important bell lines on the reverse. As such, this is one of the finest seen by PCGS, with a scant four pieces so graded, and none seen finer. This modernistic design by the artist Sinnock of Benjamin Franklin and the Liberty Bell created open fields and shallow devices, inherently inviting to bagmarks, hence superb pieces like this are extremely rare. If you are a specialist of this series look no further than this majestic coin to be satisfied with a wise selection for your collection.

PCGS 4, NGC 2, CAC 2. None are graded higher at either grading service, and this is one of only two coins to receive the CAC approval at the MS67 FBL level. The "other" CAC coin sold for \$18,800.00 (1/14) but it has darker and less attractive toning. Thus, for the Set Registry collector the present offering is at least "tied" for finest and certainly has claims to being the absolute finest 1951 Franklin Half Dollar.

PCGS # 86658 | EST: \$16,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 283

50C 1952-S PCGS MS66+ FBL CAC

Glorious quality and outstanding toning on this finest known 1952-S half dollar, likely from original Mint Set storage over many years. Notice the rich and vibrant greens and reds at the periphery, complemented by tawny gold over the balance of satiny silver surfaces. The strike is sharp and full, precisely as desired by all specialists.

PCGS 50, NGC 3, CAC 8. Auction prices are all over the map for this condition rarity, but the current Collectors Universe value is \$15,000.00. PCGS has graded only six with the "+" designation, while CAC reports eight for both MS66 FBL and MS66+ FBL. Truth be told this is a tremendous condition rarity with the combination of MS66+ FBL and CAC. Good luck!

PCGS # 86663 | EST: \$12,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 284

50C 1954-D MS66 FBL CAC

Toned with delicate pastel gold and blue shades with richer tints around the rims. The strike is full and complete, unusually so for a San Francisco Franklin Half Dollar. Scarce and desirable this well preserved.

PCGS 127, NGC 7, CAC 16. A non CAC approved example at PCGS MS66 FBL realized \$764.00 (9/15) and this one with CAC approval is clearly worth more. An opportunity for the Franklin Half Dollar aficionado.

PCGS # 86668 | EST: \$600.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 285

50C 1954-S PCGS MS66+ FBL CAC

Incredible golden iridescence with traces of green and rose intermixed on both sides. This one must have come out of a Mint set to acquire this depth of toning in this color array. The surfaces are amazing too, with only a few minor scuffs from handling. A solid coin for the advanced specialist who demands bold eye appeal and top quality surfaces.

PCGS 128, NGC 7, CAC 16. Only fourteen of the PCGS coins offer the "+" and these are topped by a single coin graded higher at MS67. Hence this is one of the finest available 1954-S half dollars! Don't miss out. One recent auction record is noted at \$2,497.00 (10/15) but that was for a white coin with CAC approval. This toning delight is certain to bring more.

PCGS # 86669 | EST: \$2,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 286

50C 1950 PCGS PR66+ CAM CAC

Brilliant blazing white with gleaming reflectivity and abundant frost on the devices. A condition rarity that belongs in an advanced Set Registry collection of this series in Proof! Downright impressive quality and one of the finer pieces known with the Cameo contrast.

PCGS 44, NGC 56, CAC 25. Only three of the PCGS coins have the "+" sign and another thirteen are graded finer as PR67 or PR67+. Hence this is one of the finer Cameo Proofs in existence. One recent offering of a PR66 CAM CAC coin brought \$7,638.00 (10/15), while the coins with the "+" have not yet been auctioned. The last PR67 CAM coin brought \$9,988.00 (10/15) so this one should be worth something in between. A classic condition rarity!

PCGS # 86691 | EST: \$7,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 287

50C 1956 TYPE 2 PCGS PR69 DCAM

Tied with a modest number as the finest seen of this Proof issue with the Deep Cameo contrast. This is a fully white coin with exceptional frost on the devices and deep reflectivity in the fields. The surfaces are pristine and the eye appeal is superb.

PCGS 44, NGC 87. There are no finer examples with the Type 2 designation. A recent offering of a similarly graded piece brought \$2,820.00 (9/15) at auction. This satin white delight could bring more.

PCGS # 96697 | EST: \$2,200.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 288

\$1 1798 LARGE EAGLE PCGS VF25 CAC

Handsome quality and toning, with elegant tinges of blue and gold iridescence through the obverse stars and reverse fields as well. Residual luster is noted in the protected areas, and this feature is seldom found and Draped Bust Dollars from this era. A few shallow surface lines are present, but the eye appeal easily overwhelms these minor faults. No adjustment marks or bumps detract. A pleasing example of this popular type coin.

PCGS 191, NGC 497, CAC 24. Auction records for this date and grade are in the low \$2,200.00 range for average coins, this one being much nicer than commonly seen, should bring more.

PCGS # 6873 | EST: \$2,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 289

\$1 1869 PCGS AU55 CAC

OGH. Excellent quality with light silver gray dominating the toning but accented by rich jewel tones which flash against the semi reflective fields. A scarce date to find this well preserved.

PCGS 31, NGC 16, CAC 5. The most recent auction record is for \$1,469.00 (9/14) for this date and grade, but this premium quality coin should bring more!

PCGS # 6962 | EST: \$1,250.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 290

\$1 1870-CC PCGS VF35

Attractive lilac gray toning throughout, with gunmetal blue accents around the reverse periphery. Scarce and desirable in so many ways, first off these Carson City silver dollars were struck in the first year of operation of this historic Western Mint. Most circulated long and hard and few were saved. In addition the mintage was just 12,462 pieces, hardly enough to satisfy collectors today if these had all survived--yet only a tiny fraction did. It would be generous to think that there are 1,000 individual surviving coins of this date and Mint, and don't forget, most are in far lower grades and have every imaginable surface problem. These were not seen as historic relics when they were produced, but much needed silver coins that circulation demanded. Thus only a modest number survive today with attractive surfaces and color like this one.

PCGS 43, NGC 44. The most recent auction record for this graded is \$2,703.00 (1/14) and this elegant coin should bring that amount or more today.

PCGS # 6964 | EST: \$2,250.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

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LOT 291

\$1 1851 RESTRIKE PCGS PR65 CAM CAC





LOT 291

\$1 1851 RESTRIKE PCGS PR65 CAM CAC

Tied with one other as the finest known in the Cameo designation and only two other PR65 non Cameo coins exist of this restrike between both grading services. The toning is off the charts here, with regal aqua blue accents and deep russet and gold covering both sides. The fields are highly reflective, undiminished by the handsome shades. Well frosted on the devices which induce a stunning effect. In short, if you want what is arguably the finest 1851 Restrike silver dollar, then here it is.

In 1851 the world was sort of turned upside down. The discovery of vast quantities of gold caused the relative price of that metal to fall, and slightly increase the price of silver. This was important because the increase in silver bullion prices amounted to a seven percent premium of the melt value of our silver coinage compared to the stated circulating value. While this may not sound like a lot, it was enough to induce people to gather up all the silver coins they could acquire and send them off to be melted. Hence silver coins disappeared from circulation. In the end Congress authorized a modest reduction in the silver content of coins--fractional dollar ones at least, and coinage flooded back into circulation in the early months of 1853 when the change was authorized. These coins were designated with Arrows at the date and the weight of the silver dollar was not changed for traditions sake.

Given all these events transpiring, precious few 1851 silver dollars were struck in that year, only 1,300 in fact, and most of these were likely melted along with other coins from that period. In a few short years collectors noticed that an 1851 dated silver dollar was a very difficult thing to find, so the Philadelphia Mint eventually struck up some more Proofs to help satisfy demand. The Proofs are easy to tell from the originals, as the Proofs have the date centered below Miss Liberty while the Originals have the date placed high and too close to the rocky base.

Given that these Restrikes were struck in the Proof format meant that they were saved and most survived in reasonably good order, but we're talking about generations ago when these were made so it's not surprising that most fall well short of the gem grade today. It is believed that these Restrikes were first struck in 1858 and possibly for as many as a dozen or so years later. In all perhaps 35 were struck, still a tiny number by today's standards.

CoinFacts mentions this specific coin as being the finest known, it used to be in an NGC PR66 CAM holder but has since been graded by PCGS. It will become a major centerpiece of any advanced collection.

PCGS 1, NGC 1, CAC 2. The estimate provided by CoinFacts for this grade is \$100,000.00 and that seems about right. Once viewed, any specialist will desire to own this prize for its incredible elegance and glorious surfaces.

PCGS # 86993 | EST: \$90,000.00+



LOT 292

\$1 1862 PCGS PR65 CAC

Absolutely stunning toning on the obverse of vibrant blue and russet around the rim! The reverse is also toned but more subtly with blue, gold and gray against the perfect reflectivity of the mirror fields. The obverse has considerable frost on the central device of Miss Liberty and the eye appeal is astounding. Only 550 pieces were struck as the Civil War started to turn for the worse in the North. No doubt sales were soft as people had far greater concerns at this time. Of those produced PCGS has seen an even dozen the the gem level, and importantly just two coins are finer in the Proof grade! This coin is so spectacular it is photographed on CoinFacts as a memorable example of this date. When you view it and enjoy its subtle charms, you will know why.

PCGS 12, NGC 13, CAC 5. The most recent auction record for this grade comes in at \$13,513.00 (10/14). This coin should bring a strong price reflective of its amazing toning.

PCGS # 7005 | EST: \$10,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

LOT 293

\$1 1865 PCGS PR65 CAM CAC

A 150-year-old coin in superb condition is truly remarkable! In fact, we're a little surprised that this coin doesn't have a +, but PCGS clearly didn't agree. Deep, clear, clean mirrors beam from all over with bold reflectivity. Only a thin line or two keep this from a PR66 CAM designation, and you need a loupe to find them. A moderate mix of deep navy/olive colors swirl around deep pewter on both the obverse and reverse. Miss Liberty and the details are thickly frosted and have crisp, full strikes. The eye appeal is superb!

PCGS 9, NGC 3, CAC 6. Only 500 were minted.

PCGS has graded none higher and the current Collectors Universe value is \$22,500.00. The PCGS population is extremely limited for this date and grade, and this coin will be a star in any Type or or Proof Seated Set!

PCGS # 87008 | EST: \$15,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.





LOT 294

\$1 1868 PCGS PR65 CAM CAC

Vibrant white frost bathes Miss Liberty and the stars, which seem to float over a glassy sea of pure reflectivity. There is but a hint of pale gold toning on this stunning Cameo gem Proof. A modest 600 pieces were struck in Proof, the first handful offer the desirable Cameo contrast, while most fall well short of this designation. This one is tied with a group of seven others as the second finest certified with the Cameo depth. A few others offer the Deep Cameo contrast, but only eleven pieces and most in lower technical grades. Add to the desirability of this classic

American coin with CAC approval and you have a bold winner that any collector will long covet. The frost on the devices is remarkably well preserved!

PCGS 8, NGC 6, CAC 4. The last sale of this same coin realized \$22,325.00 (8/13) nearly two and a half years ago. Clearly such immense quality never goes out of style!

PCGS # 87016 | EST: \$17,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 295

T\$1 1874 TRADE NGC MS65

Toned with golden biscuit shades over both sides with strong Mint luster shining through. The strike is reasonably sharp on all but the right claw of the eagle and a few of the obverse stars. Examination finds a few shallow lines at the periphery, but the central devices are wholesome and attractive. A condition rarity that is one of the finer examples known of this date and Mint. Most of the nearly 1 million struck of this issue went directly to the Orient, where they circulated or melted. Thus finding a gem grade survivor to represent this issue is a difficult task as only a dozen or so coins can qualify at this grade today.

PCGS 6, NGC 6. The current Collectors Universe value is \$17,000.00 and this is certainly not a common date or grade.

PCGS # 7034 | EST: \$8,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 296

T\$1 1875 TRADE PCGS MS64

A lovely toned Trade Dollar with peripheral blue shades mixed with steel gray and gold on both sides. The strike is sharp throughout and the surfaces nice for the grade assigned. This is a low mintage date with a production of only 218,200 pieces for circulation. Scarce at this lofty grade level and downright rare finer with PCGS reporting only eight coins seen finer, half of those at MS64+.

PCGS 27, NGC 18. A similar coin at this grade level was auctioned for \$6,463.00 (4/14). This is a fine example for the grade assigned and one that would be hard to beat!

PCGS # 7037 | EST: \$4,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 297

T\$1 1876-S TRADE PCGS MS63+

A mostly white coin save for a few flecks of russet on the lower obverse rim while the reverse is fully brilliant white. Boldly struck throughout, with crisp lettering and central devices. The surfaces are pleasing as well, with no deep or annoying marks in the open fields or on the devices. Most of these ended up in the Orient and few survived, especially this well preserved.

PCGS 153, NGC 98. Only four of the PCGS coins offer the "+" designation and the current Collectors Universe value is \$2,200.00. Finer examples are tough to find at all, and this one should please any date collector.

PCGS # 7043 | EST: \$2,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 298

T\$1 1878-CC TRADE PCGS MS61

A classic key date rarity in all grades and especially so in Mint State! This one shows bright satin luster and a full strike. Toned with a blend of light gold and russet with considerable reflectivity in the fields. Only 97,000 pieces were struck, and this is one of the few that survived in Mint State. It is estimated that 350 of these survived from the original mintage, with perhaps as many as 50 in various Mint State grades. Needless to say, the historic rarity of this issue is well known and when a true Mint State coin like this turns up, collectors would do well to take notice and bid accordingly.

PCGS 9, NGC 8. A similar example certified as PCGS MS61 commanded \$18,800.00 (8/14) and that number seems about right today for this rarity.

PCGS # 7047 | EST: \$15,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

LOT 299

T\$1 1883 TRADE PCGS PR66 CAM CAC

Booming white and frosty with strong contrast between the devices and fields. Free of toning save for a touch of russet and blue around the rims. Outstanding quality for the connoisseur with extraordinary reflectivity in the mirror fields which contrast boldly with the frosted devices. The Trade Dollar had faded from use by 1879, and only Proofs were produced after that date. For 1883 a mere 979 pieces were struck and gems like this are downright sparse! PCGS has graded an even dozen this high, and importantly just three are finer in the Cameo Proof designation. An important offering and one worthy of the finest collection!

PCGS 13, NGC 15, CAC 7. The CoinFacts value is \$15,500.00 for this Cameo Proof and that seems about right for this rare condition rarity. An important offering with exceptional appeal.

PCGS # 87063 | EST: \$11,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.





TONED DOLLARS



LOT 300

\$1 1878-CC NGC MS64+*

Beautiful orange-gold toning to the center of the obverse and framed in delicate teal blue around the rim, the reverse is white save for a dash of golden iridescence at the periphery. Scarce and desirable, and seldom seen with any attractive toning on this early Carson City Mint issue.

PCGS 6,900, NGC 5,618. A similar toned example at this grade level commanded \$764.00 (8/13) and this one should bring a similar price. Gorgeous.

PCGS # 7080 | EST: \$500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 301

\$1 1879-S PCGS MS67+ CAC

The obverse is entirely toned with a handsome blend of sunset golds, intense crimson and ample teal blue. While these dizzying colors are enough to make anyone desire this particular coin, they happen to be over incredible surfaces--superb in fact! Miss Liberty's cheek is pristine, virtually perfect, which is quite unusual for Morgan Dollars. The surrounding fields are Mint fresh with strong luster and radiant appeal. On the reverse there is a dash of russet, green and blue toning at the top, otherwise that side is bright and lustrous. Highly appealing and exceptional, with toning ranking at least a 9 out of 10!

PCGS 1,495, NGC 2,199, CAC 360. Only 79 of the noted PCGS coins offer the "+" designation and no doubt a fraction of those have CAC approval. Add to this mix the incredible and desirable toning and you have an outstanding opportunity to secure one of the finest and most colorful toned Morgan Dollars. This is not a coin to miss if you are serious about obtaining the finest.

PCGS # 7092 | EST: \$5,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

TONED DOLLARS



LOT 302

\$1 1880-S PCGS MS63

Toned with swaths of teal, crimson, and russet over the obverse in an irregular pattern but quite handsome! The reverse is white with a dash of peripheral russet.

The PCGS and NGC numbers are not meaningful since this piece is all about the toning! If you love elegant colors and eye popping shades, then look at this splendid piece.

PCGS # 7118 | EST: \$500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 303

\$1 1880-S PCGS MS63 CAC EX SIMPSON

Completely toned on the obverse with rich jewel shades of neon green and crimson around the date, fading to lighter teal, gold and rose shades above. Satiny luster throughout, and the surfaces are choice. The reverse is white. We rank this coin a 9 out of 10 on our toning scale!

PCGS numbers are not meaningful as this one is all about the toning. While the toning is earned through years of careful bag storage, not many come with it well organized as seen here, with the deepest shades on the lowest part of the obverse and various design elements seemingly accented by the random nature of this long storage process. Exceptional eye appeal!

PCGS # 7118 | EST: \$450.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 304

\$1 1880-S PCGS MS65 CAC

Exceptional obverse toning with neon green dominating along with ample crimson and purple hues blending with bright yellow and fuchsia over that entire side. The reverse is mostly white with a touch of gold at the rims. gem quality surfaces produce great eye appeal and this one is simply outstanding in every regard. This toning on this gem is jaw dropping! We'd rate it at least a 9 out of 10 on our color scale.

PCGS 24,411, NGC 22,945, CAC 443. This will bring a huge premium for the astounding jewel tones that dominate the obverse. A prize for any toned Morgan Dollar specialist and a coin that few will ever want to part with.

PCGS # 7118 | EST: \$1,250.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



TONED DOLLARS



LOT 305

\$1 1880-S PCGS MS66 CAC

Neon green, crimson, and gold dominate the lower half of the obverse with more delicate hues to the top of that side. The reverse shows attractive russet gold toning. Exceptional quality and surfaces, and these add to the overall appeal. We rank the colors on this amazing coin as at least a 9 out of 10.

PCGS 10,340, NGC 12,017, CAC 823. Auction records are not meaningful as it's all about the depth, richness, and artistic nature of the toning. And this one has it all. Let's see how this neon green jewel roars!

PCGS # 7118 | EST: \$1,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 307

\$1 1881-S NGC MS65*

Amazing neon yellow and green toning spans the entire obverse, deeper green and rose are present as well, along with hints of canvas bag traces below Miss Liberty's chin. Notice too, the blazing bright crimson shades that enhance each of the peripheral devices such as the star and date, with matching colors tucked deep into the design recesses too. The reverse is mostly white with an arc of deeper russet around more than half the rim. Boldly struck and a coin of solid surface quality, but the colors are the real dominant factor here. The toning ranks a 9 out of 10 on our color scale.

Any PCGS or NGC data here is not meaningful. This is an abundantly common coin even in gem grades, but how many have incredible vibrant toning like this?

PCGS # 7130 | EST: \$1,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 306

\$1 1881-S NGC MS65*

Deep neon green, fuchsia, and lemon are found on the obverse while the reverse is toned a more delicate tawny gold color. gem quality surfaces are noted, and the eye appeal is staggering on this intensely toned monster. If you desire to own a few of these fantastic toned coins, then make sure to view these carefully as some of the coins offer colors that are not only unusual, but incredibly intense!

The toning ranks a 9 out of 10 on our color scale.

Any PCGS or NGC data here is not meaningful. We all understand that the 1881-S Morgan dollar is plentiful right up into superb grades. However, the toning features makes a condition and eye appeal rarity that is certain to be pursued by any collector who views its charms. Don't miss out.

PCGS # 7130 | EST: \$1,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 308

\$1 1880-S PCGS MS66

Flashy and bright but graced by some rather attractive teal and russet hues at the rims and lower portion of the obverse. The fields are reflective and super clean while Miss Liberty's cheek is free of all but minute scuffs. The reverse is mostly white with a dash of peripheral blue and gold. An elegantly toned Morgan!

The PCGS and NGC numbers are not relevant here, only the premium for the seductive toning.

PCGS # 7118 | EST: \$750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

TONED DOLLARS



LOT 309

\$1 1881-O PCGS MS63 CAC

Incredible end of the roll toning on the obverse with rich neon green, red and crimson in a pattern that matched the way the paper folded over the obverse. The reverse is white, being protected within the roll for many years. This is a beautifully toned Morgan Dollar!

PCGS and NGC populations are not meaningful as this one is all about the gorgeous toning.

PCGS # 7128 | EST: \$950.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 310

\$1 1881-S NGC MS65 PL CAC GOLD STICKER

Old Holder. The obverse is toned with rich crimson to purple on the left, with the area on and behind Miss Liberty's head a blazing sunshine yellow with a dash of deeper aqua blue on the uppermost rim. Here the reverse is also toned with softer pastel hues of blue and lemon gold, with considerable Mint vibrancy from the reflective fields. There is a trace of the original canvas bag imprinted on Miss Liberty's neck, confirming the origin of this memorable toning from many years of storage under just the right circumstances. The toning ranks a full 10 out of 10 on our color scale and that is not a rating we give out very often!

The PCGS and NGC data are not meaningful because of this coin's unique features. First, the toning is exquisite and the gold CAC sticker confirms it is undergraded. Placing a value on such a coin is difficult, as so few exist to compare it to.

PCGS # 7130 | EST: \$3,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 311

\$1 1881-S PCGS MS66 CAC

OGH. The obverse is fully toned with a perfect blend of pastel teal to sky blue on the left half and upper portion, with the balance a pleasing blend of these shades with fiery russet orange. Brilliant on the reverse. Excellent quality and highly appealing for the toning. We rank this coin an 8 out of 10 on our toning scale!

PCGS numbers are not meaningful as it's all about the toning here. Make sure to view this one in hand to properly determine your bid.

PCGS # 7130 | EST: \$1,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 312

\$1 1881-S PCGS MS66 CAC

Extraordinary neon green and crimson shades cover the entire obverse which are remarkably uniform in depth and intensity. The reverse is white. Fantastic quality as well, but the whole story is the obverse toning here.

PCGS and NGC numbers are not meaningful for this exceptionally common date, but just try to find another with depth of toning!

PCGS # 7130 | EST: \$1,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



TONED DOLLARS



LOT 313

\$1 1882-O NGC MS66*

A neon blitz of green and fuchsia cascades down through Miss Liberty's cap and curls, with the balance of the left side a gentle golden shade. The reverse is bright white with a touch of peripheral russet. The intensity of the jewel tones is intense, and the eye appeal is extraordinary. However, not to be overlooked is the amazing quality of this 1882-O Morgan Dollar, one of the top 100 certified between both NGC and PCGS. A powerful combination that will dazzle any specialist! The toning ranks at least an 8 out of 10 on our color scale.

PCGS 49, NGC 13. There are less than ten coins graded higher and a white example at this grade level brought \$4,994.00 (9/13), but this one with color could bring much more!

PCGS # 7136 | EST: \$4,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

TONED DOLLARS



LOT 314

\$1 1882-CC PCGS MS66 CAC

This appears to be an end of the roll coin with intense neon green and crimson shades spanning most of the obverse. Virtually the entire obverse is richly toned save for a small area behind Miss Liberty's head which has lighter but still colorful hues. The surfaces are quite clean and this is a truly amazing high-end Carson City Morgan Dollar. The toning will always please any buyer!

PCGS 1,399, NGC 1,149, CAC 262. This one will bring a huge premium for the toning!

PCGS # 7134 | EST: \$2,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 315

\$1 1882-S NGC MS67 CAC

Fabulous light teal, rose and yellow toning on the upper left obverse fading back to full vibrant white on the lower right. Outstanding quality too, with Miss Liberty's cheek and neck showing undiminished and unbroken luster. The reverse is white and bathed in satin luster. A handsome San Francisco Morgan Dollar! Toned Morgans have really come into their own in the last few decades, and this series offers nearly infinite ways to collect them, with these colorful jewels one of the most challenging aspects to find by date and Mint. The toning is at least an 8 out of 10 on our color scale!

PCGS 919, NGC 1,878, CAC 322. The most recent sale of a CAC coin to sell at auction realized \$705.00 (7/15) but that was for a more typical white example. This gorgeously toned piece should bring much more.

PCGS # 7140 | EST: \$800.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 316

\$1 1882-S NGC MS67*

Vibrant lemon yellow toning covers all of Miss Liberty with a dash of pale blue on the left and incredible crimson rose and blue on her cap and the field above. A small arc on the left obverse is bright white where another coin apparently resided for many years in the original canvas bag. The reverse is white save for a touch of gold toning on the lower rim. Boldly struck and carefully preserved in every regard. These colors are definitely on the brighter side, with the only hint of deeper shades noted in the cobalt blue in a small area on the upper rim above Liberty's head. A simply glorious coin! The toning ranks at least an 8 out of 10 on our color scale.

PCGS 919, NGC 1,878. Auction results are not meaningful as most sales are for bright white coins. This one is clearly worth a strong premium for its majestic hues.

PCGS # 7140 | EST: \$750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



TONED DOLLARS



LOT 317

\$1 1882-S PCGS MS67+ CAC

Glorious toning is perfectly arranged from the top to bottom of the obverse, with the lightest and brightest shades above Miss Liberty's head where intense yellow resides, increasing in richness to lilac and crimson, with deeper neon green by her jaw line. Simply stunning in every way, and furthermore, these exceptional colors are perfectly arranged on a superb quality coin! The reverse is brilliant white and also of exceptional quality. This piece would make a perfect selection to represent this issue, not only for the quality, but for the elegant hues as well. The toning is a full 9 out of 10 on our color scale!

PCGS 919, NGC 1,878, CAC 322. Of the PCGS coins noted a scant 55 pieces offer the "+" designation, and of course CAC notes only the number of approvals per grade, and does not recognize the "+" as a separate designation. In sum, there are only a handful of 1882-S Morgan Dollars that can offer both the "+" and a CAC sticker, certainly less than the possible 55 pieces noted! Good luck!

**PCGS # 7140 | EST: \$5,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.**



LOT 318

\$1 1883 PCGS MS64

Fantastic neon green and deep crimson toning on the upper half of the obverse, lighter teal mixed with crimson on the lower half, with vibrant luster evident. Clean surfaces throughout, and the reverse is white.

It's all about the toning here, and rich jewel tones like this are highly prized, especially when found on the obverse with this level of intensity. A solid acquisition for the specialist!

**PCGS # 7142 | EST: \$500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.**



LOT 319

\$1 1883-O NGC MS63 CAC

Old Holder. Exceptionally intense rainbow toning in perfectly organized vertical bands on the left side of the obverse, culminating in neon green, crimson, amber, and fading on the right half to attractive teal and champagne gold. A clear top of the bag elegant color bomb. We rate this at least a 9 out of 10 on our toning scale because of the vibrant hues on half the obverse. The reverse is white with a ring of gold.

Expect fireworks when this one comes up as it will certainly command well deserved attention.

**PCGS # 7146 | EST: \$500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.**



TONED DOLLARS



LOT 320

\$1 1883-O PCGS MS65 CAC

Booming neon green and blue with crimson accents cover 70% of the obverse with the lower right portion mostly white with a touch of gold. The reverse has light peripheral teal with golden shades to the center over strong luster. We rank this coin a 9 on our color scale, and it would be a 9+ if the color completely covered the obverse! Don't miss out of you love jewel tones and great quality.

PCGS 8,000, NGC 10,360, CAC 274. Auction records are close to tie to this elegantly toned gem. The neon shades are exceptional!

PCGS # 7146 | EST: \$1,000.00
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 321

\$1 1883-O PCGS MS65 CAC

Solid for the grade. The obverse has gorgeous, deep, swirling green/violet/gold/royal blue colors and upon careful examination you can clearly see light green burlap bag dots scattered around. The eye appeal is very cool and we rank this a 9 out of 10 on our toning scale!

PCGS # 7146 | EST: \$1,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 322

\$1 1883-O PCGS MS65 CAC

The quality on this peacock is very high-end! The surfaces are smooth, clean, and have a strong, booming luster, while the obverse is graced with a terrific mix of amber/pearl green/electric violet/blue. The eye appeal is stunning and we rank this at least an 8 out of 10 on our toning scale!

PCGS # 7146 | EST: \$1,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 323

\$1 1884 PCGS MS66 CAC

This very rare, two sided green monster has clean surfaces that explode with an intense booming luster. The luster makes the mind boggling pearl green/violet/gold/blue shades look almost three dimensional! The reverse has an equally out of this world circular toning pattern. You jaw will drop when you see this rare, wildly toned piece which we rank a full 10 out of 10 on our toning scale!

PCGS # 7150 | EST: \$3,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



TONED DOLLARS



LOT 324

\$1 1884-O PCGS MS64

OGH. The entire obverse is toned with fiery lilac and rose, while the fields offer up a deep layer of midnight blue that dazzles the eye in combination with the intense blend of color. The reverse is basically white with a dash of peripheral yellow. The strike is lacking, particularly on the reverse where the lower portion is bluntly struck. The we rank the colors at least an 8 out of 10 on our toning scale.

PCGS numbers are not meaningful as this coin is all about the toning. A prize for the toned Morgan specialist.

PCGS # 7154 | EST: \$750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 325

\$1 1885-O PCGS MS67 CAC

Super clean surfaces with satin white frost throughout, and a splash of elegant teal, yellow and russet-rose toning on the upper left obverse. The reverse is white save for a hint of gold. This is one of the examples of this date yet certified and as such will command attention for the quality alone, and the toning is just an added bonus! Impressive quality!

PCGS 280, NGC 581. CAC 135. There is a recent auction price of \$1,410.00 (10/15) for an all white example with CAC approval, and this one should bring more for its handsome toning accent. PCGS has graded only twelve coins finer than this one for the 1885-O issue!

PCGS # 7162 | EST: \$1,350.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 326

\$1 1887 PCGS MS66 CAC

Exceptional toning of deep neon green at the upper obverse which fades over to intense crimson and lighter gold across Miss Liberty's cheek. There is a trace of canvas bag pattern on her cheek, confirmation of this coin's location for decades in order to achieve such glorious toning. The strike is bold and the surfaces outstanding, but here it's all about the toning. The reverse is white with a dash of peripheral gold. The colors here are so stunning and rich that we rank them a 9 out of 10 on our toning scale!

PCGS 1,618, NGC 3,904, CAC 291. It's all about the depth of the toning here and this one has it in spades. Let's watch as the bids blow past a typical white coin price and keep right on moving. The intensity of the toning here will require a formidable bid to capture!

PCGS # 7172 | EST: \$1,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 327

\$1 1887/6 PCGS MS65 CAC

The obverse is toned over about ninety percent with variegated russet and gold with folds of deep blue-green mixed into the devices and fields. One area of silver around Miss Liberty's neck and the balance is toned. For the reverse and gentle blanket of gold resides tucked into the devices around the fields. Elegant!

PCGS 171, NGC 87, CAC 31. The most recent CAC approved coin to sell at auction landed on \$2,350.00 (12/13) but that for a simple white coin without the amazing complexity of colors offered here in addition to the gem grade. A tough overdate to find nice, and especially with lovely toning.

PCGS # 7174 | EST: \$2,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

TONED DOLLARS



LOT 328

\$1 1890-O PCGS MS65+

Rich greenish-gold toning with lavender centers is noted on both the obverse and reverse. The surfaces are sweet and clean, offering little more than a couple of trivial bag scuffs when closely examined. The strike is quite sharp, on the hair over Miss Liberty's ear as well as on the eagle's proud breast. A highly appealing gem!

PCGS 642, NGC 204. Only twenty of the PCGS coins noted have the "+" designation. Finer coins exist, but only 27 as high as MS66+, so the present offering is one of the top 50 coins seen by PCGS! There is significant price variation between the handful of "+" coins offered, no recent offerings include toned coins so we'll let the market decide. This attractive coin will certainly find an appreciative home wherever it lands!

PCGS # 7200 | EST: \$1,750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 329

\$1 1891-S PCGS MS65

Gorgeous neon rainbow colors swirl over Miss Liberty and the surrounding fields, apparently from the end of a paper roll wrapper storage. The colors are deep and intense, and show their true nature best when viewed under a light. A lot of eye appeal along with pleasing surface quality for the collector, just what everyone wants and seldom finds! The toning ranks a 9 out of 10 on our color scale.

PCGS 477, NGC 234. Auction records will not be meaningful as the unique nature and intensity of the colors are quite individual to each of these coins. Needless to say, this is a plentiful issue, but only a tiny number offer the kind of color present here!

PCGS # 7210 | EST: \$1,250.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 330

\$1 1900-O PCGS MS67 CAC

The entire coin is toned with soft russet-gold with an encircling frame of blue at the extreme edge. On the cusp of being tied for the absolute finest known, with a scant 60 graded by PCGS plus only four finer with the MS67+ grade at the top of their Population Report. Gorgeous surfaces that offer scuff and nick free fields and devices, and are certain to delight any numismatic eye that passes their way. A real stunner for quality with attractive toning!

PCGS 64, NGC 77, CAC 22. The last CAC approved coin to sell at auction brought \$4,847.00 (9/14) and that was for a plain white example. While the colors here may not reach into the intense range, they are certainly pleasing, and wonderfully soft over luster. A prize!

PCGS # 7266 | EST: \$4,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



TONED DOLLARS



LOT 331

\$1 1904 PCGS MS66+ CAC

The finest known example certified by PCGS of this conditionally challenging date and alone at the top as the sole MS66+. Both sides are entirely toned with attractive bluish-green dominating the center of the obverse while the reverse is tawny gold at the center. The toning fades to lighter gold and russet at the rims and is wonderfully even and attractive. Satin smooth luster and free of all but a few minor nicks and scuffs when close scrutiny is applied. Great cartwheel luster when examined under a light, with classic spin and pizzazz.

The 1904 Philadelphia silver dollar ranks poorly for this Mint, this particular year production of their usual high quality coins was off, with most of the 1904 dollars produced showing poor strikes, less than average quality and dull luster. Morgan Dollar experts have long been perplexed by the strange shift in quality, and after examining bags of 1904 dollars in past generations, dealers came away without finding any gems! Hence today the few gems have always been sought after by collectors. Hence when this sparkling and fairly well struck example turned up, it really turned our heads for this kind of quality is just about unheard of on a 1904 Morgan! This one is destined for a top Morgan Dollar collection!

PCGS 23, NGC 11, CAC 6. This is the only "+" certified by PCGS and neither grading service has seen any finer! We expect the existing auction record for this date of \$17,250.00 (1/12) to fall to this outstanding gem when its turn arrives to cross the auction block.

PCGS # 7290 | EST: \$15,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

TONED DOLLARS



LOT 332

\$1 1904-O PCGS MS65+

Exquisite obverse toning covers that entire side with vibrant amber gold, deepening to crimson and neon green at the rim. The reverse is white with a ring of gold and blue near the edge. We give this coin a 9 on the color scale, so its way up there in desirability. The central strike shows the usual New Orleans softness, culminating on soft curls over Miss Liberty's ear and the eagle's breast. The fact this much color resides on a handsome gem certainly completes the package.

The PCGS and NGC data are not meaningful for this one is all about the toning. Expect to pay a well deserved premium for this beauty.

PCGS # 7292 | EST: \$750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 334

\$1 1922 PCGS MS63 CAC

This one is from the end of a paper wrapped roll, with the obverse exhibiting deep neon shades of green, crimson and blue. Outstanding intensity and quite unusual for a Peace Dollar of any date as these are rarely found with any attractive toning. Make sure to view this one if you desire an example for your collection. The toning ranks at least an 8 out of 10 on our color scale.

PCGS and NGC numbers are obviously not meaningful on this most plentiful of all Peace Dollars, but just try to find another with similar colors and intensity! A difficult project indeed!

PCGS # 7357 | EST: \$250.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 333

\$1 1921-D MORGAN PCGS MS66+ CAC

Bright and lustrous beneath a handsome greenish-gold layer of toning that shows a complex pattern from some sort of paper storage envelope. The obverse is quite uniform in color and intensity while the reverse offers deeper russet and blue, particularly around the rim. A condition rarity at this lofty grade level, and exceeded by less than a dozen finer coins at PCGS. Furthermore, there are only 45 MS66+ coins graded by that service, and this from an original mintage of 20,345,000 pieces. This is the sole Denver issue Morgan Dollar, as that Mint opened for production in 1906, just after the primary production run of Morgan Dollars had ceased. There is one shallow scuff on Miss Liberty's nose, likely the reason this one missed the superb grade--by a nose!

PCGS 409, NGC 295, CAC 151. A similar example to this coin with CAC approval brought \$2,820.00 (8/15) recently, so that gives a basis to formulate a bid for this particular coin.

PCGS # 7298 | EST: \$2,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 335

\$1 1922-D PCGS MS65 CAC

Scarce in gem and this one offers attractive envelope toning! Both sides are toned with tawny gold over ample Mint luster. The strike is sharp and the surfaces delightfully clean, as expected for this grade level.

PCGS 1,217, NGC 920, CAC 158. A similar CAC approved coin brought \$705.00 (9/15) at auction recently. This one with the addition of attractive toning should bring more, as so few Peace Dollars are nicely toned.

PCGS # 7358 | EST: \$600.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



TONED DOLLARS



LOT 336

\$1 1935-S PCGS MS64 CAC

Extraordinary neon green, lilac, and yellow toning covers Miss Liberty's face and neck, with the surrounding fields even deeper while the reverse is generally lighter in color and patina.

Apparently these amazing colors are from long envelope storage as there are a few russet lines on the obverse, usually an indication of a fold or seam in the paper. Clean surfaces for the grade assigned too!

PCGS 1,615, NGC 931, CAC 115. No auction record will be comparable to this amazing toned Peace Dollar, let's see how much these neon shades bring when it crosses the block! While not the ultimate grade, this one certainly is tops for eye appeal.

PCGS # 7379 | EST: \$1,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

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LOT 337

\$1 1878-S PCGS MS66+ CAC

A glistening white coin that offers full creamy luster and satin frost. The surfaces are free of all but a few minute nicks and the fields offer a slightly reflective nature from polished dies. First year of issue of the Morgan Dollar, and a solid example for the date and Mint collector that is quite respectable for the grade and high eye appeal.

PCGS 747, NGC 563, CAC 214. Only 60 of the PCGS coins offer the "+" grade, and that places this coin in the top 100 certified by PCGS for this date and Mint, topped by a total of 36 pieces as high as MS68. Rarified atmosphere for the specialist who demands one of the finer examples of this issue! The last white coin with CAC approval hit \$2,233.00 (8/15).

PCGS # 7082 | EST: \$1,600.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 338

\$1 1879-CC PCGS MS64 PL CAC

We simply can't imagine a nicer example of this date and grade! This is a full black and white stunner and just shy of full DMPL status. The mirrors are 6" deep, with tremendous clarity and reflectivity. They're incredibly clean save for a few tiny, widely scattered ticks. Miss Liberty and the details are fully struck and have thick snow white frost. The cheek is not puttied, the mirrors are real, and it is not dipped out. The eye appeal is absolutely spectacular!

PCGS 83, NGC 52, CAC 16. The last of these to sell in major auction brought \$14,100.00 (11/14). This original coin has been off the market for a few years with a long time customer of Legend Numismatics. The next step up, an MS54 DMPL, will cost you at least \$25,000.00 and we can't imagine it exhibiting any stronger Cameo qualities than this!

PCGS # 7087 | EST: \$13,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 339

\$1 1879-S PCGS MS68 CAC

One of the finest examples of this date and Mint! The obverse and reverse show extraordinary preservation and are utterly white save for a dash of greenish gold through the date and a whisper of gold on the reverse rim. The strike is bold throughout. The key factor are the magnificent surfaces, with satin luster unbroken on both the obverse and reverse. If you want a stunning example of this plentiful issue, then look no further than this incredible superb gem.

PCGS 106, NGC 165, CAC 44. Only five of those noted in the PCGS numbers offer the "+" grade at this level and these are the finest certified by that service. A similar grade coin with CAC approval traded for \$5,758.00 (6/15), but the coin now offered has even nicer contrast and a dash of elegant toning.

PCGS # 7092 | EST: \$4,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 340

\$1 1880-S PCGS MS65 DMPL

A stark white coin that shows exceptional contrast between the mile high frost on Miss Liberty which stands tall against the deeply mirrored fields. The surfaces are splendid, with no detracting scuffs or nicks on the face or neck, and the wide open fields are generally pleasing. Scarce to find in gem with the Deep Mirror Prooflike contrast, as these simply did not survive this nice by and large.

PCGS 637, NGC 435. A recent auction price of \$764.00 (3/15) for a similarly graded coin, but this particular offering has even better contrast.

PCGS # 97119 | EST: \$650.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 341

\$1 1880-S PCGS MS65 DMPL CAC

Stark white with bold contrast between the reflective fields and deep, glassy mirrored fields. This is a tough format to find this well preserved and is one of the nicer examples with the Deep Mirror Prooflike designation. Impressive quality!

PCGS 637, NGC 435, CAC 36. A recent auction price realized of \$734.00 (10/15) but that coin did not have CAC approval.

PCGS # 97119 | EST: \$900.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 342

\$1 1880-S PCGS MS67 CAC

A fully brilliant white specimen that offers a bold strike, an incredible satin smooth cheek on Miss Liberty and strong luster in the fields. While not a scarce date, at this lofty condition level, not that many exist.

PCGS 2,224, NGC 3,552, CAC 651. A comparable CAC example at this grade level landed at \$911.00 (9/15) for a fully brilliant coin. This one should bring a similar price. Outstanding!

PCGS # 7118 | EST: \$750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

LOT 343

\$1 1880-S PCGS MS68+ CAC

We've offered two other killer 1880-S pieces in MS68+ in the past year and both have sold for over \$20,000.00.

This coin could be one for the record books as it's about as spectacular as you're going to see.

The only thing that may keep this beauty from full MS69 status are some light, Mint made die polishing lines. Overall, the boldly semi-prooflike surfaces are clean and sleek, with a booming, nearly blinding luster. A thunderous ring of electric gold frames the rims on both sides. Miss Liberty and the details are frosty and crisply struck. Her remarkably clean cheek will more than please any picky buyer. The eye appeal is memorable!

PCGS 209, NGC 293, CAC 112. PCGS has graded only eight in MS68+ and this coin ranks as one of the very best! If you are building the ultimate Morgan or Type Set, this coin is for you!

**PCGS # 7118 | EST: \$15,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.**





LOT 344

\$1 1880/9-S PCGS MS66+ CAC

Blast white and fully lustrous for this tough issue. The surfaces are far better than usually seen on this date, with splendid Mint frost over the devices and good contrast. Miss Liberty's cheek is pleasing and has minimal signs of handling and great visual appeal. This is one of the top 87 coins graded by PCGS of this overdate variety, so bid accordingly if you demand a high-end, high-grade coin.

PCGS 225, NGC 60, CAC 41. Only 23 of the PCGS coins offer the "+" grade. The CoinFacts value is \$1,150.00 for this challenging grade, and this sparkling gem should bring close to that figure.

PCGS # 7122 | EST: \$900.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 345

\$1 1880/9-S PCGS MS67 CAC

A glittering white coin with great luster and a solid strike. The overdate feature is seen at the top inside portion of 0, where it appears something was literally effaced from the die, the 9 in fact! The engraver was able to remove all but a trace of the original 9, and replaced it with the current date, with the 0. Not many high-end coins exist, and at the MS67 grade there are only 58 seen this nice, with a total of eight finer between five with the "+" and three at MS68. If you demand high quality and want a handsome white coin, then look no further than this amazing jewel.

PCGS 63, NGC 11, CAC 20. We last sold an MS67 toned example of this overdate recently for \$1,586.00 (9/15) and expect this one to do as well or better. A solid example for the date specialist!

PCGS # 7122 | EST: \$1,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 346

\$1 1881-CC PCGS MS66

Fully brilliant white and lustrous with clean surfaces and the expected bold strike. A scarce and popular issue when found this attractive! These high-end Carson City Morgans never seem to go out of style.

PCGS 1,647, NGC 1,303. A comparable white coin sold for \$1,528.00 (8/15) and this one should do at least as well!

PCGS # 7126 | EST: \$1,100.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

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LOT 347

\$1 1881-CC PCGS MS66 DMPL CAC

OGH. This glowing example has watery, full 8" mirrors that seem almost endless. A few trivial ticks are scattered around, but the untouched surfaces are true to the grade. Miss Liberty and the details are fully struck and have stunning, thick, iridescent white frost. There is a light, Mint made grease spot on the cheek. The eye appeal is phenomenal!

PCGS 53, NGC 16, CAC 5. Disregard the last auction record for a PCGS MS66 DMPL, which sold for \$7,981.00 (6/15). We'd be shocked if this coin didn't at least approach \$10,000.00! Be prepared for aggressive bidding here!

PCGS # 97127 | EST: \$7,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 348

\$1 1881-S PCGS MS67+ CAC

Outstanding cartwheel luster and a really clean coin with solid surfaces that are free of all but a few minor scuffs from bag handling. A lovely example of this hopelessly common date!

PCGS 2,072, NGC 4,402, CAC 611. Only 135 of the PCGS coins offer the "+" grade of that group noted and finer pieces number 132 in the Mint State category. A similar CAC approved coin sold at auction for \$1,645.00 (10/15) which provides recent guidance for this stunning example.

PCGS # 7130 | EST: \$900.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 349

\$1 1881-S NGC MS67+ CAC

Glistening white and attractive for the outstanding clean surfaces. This one must have received tender care since the day it was struck to remain this nice and free of all but a few tiny nicks. Boldly struck and an exceptional example of this date and Mint.

PCGS 2,072, NGC 4,402, CAC 611. Only 132 of the NGC coins offer the "+" grade, which makes this piece far more desirable and much closer to the top end of this date and Mint. A similar NGC coin with CAC approval commanded \$1,175.00 (3/15) recently. Impressive!

PCGS # 7130 | EST: \$900.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 350

\$1 1881-S PCGS MS68 CAC

This superb gem is a no doubt MS68! Shimmering surfaces are the ultimate in cleanliness, with intense luster that looks like it's dripping off the coin. Both sides are silvery white. Miss Liberty and the details are lightly frosted and well struck and the check will please even the pickiest buyer. The eye appeal is stunning!

PCGS 128, NGC 246, CAC 76. The last to sell at auction brought \$5,405.00 (4/15), but we could see this coin bringing a little more.

PCGS # 7130 | EST: \$4,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 351

\$1 1882-S PCGS MS67+ CAC

Fantastic quality and luster on this high-end coin! The obverse has a delicate glaze of toning ranging from champagne gold to a touch of the palest teal, while the reverse is white. PCGS has graded 56 this high with the finest seen at MS68 and limited to another 50 pieces at that level. A condition rarity!

PCGS 923, NGC 1,868, CAC 323. A similar coin recently sold for \$1,528.00 (10/15) which also has CAC approval and that provides clear guidance for the value here.

PCGS # 7140 | EST: \$1,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 352

\$1 1883 PCGS MS66+ CAC

The entire obverse is toned with attractive light teal and amber over vibrant luster. The reverse is white, and both sides offer clean surfaces and great luster. An appealing coin that should be a welcome addition to any advanced collection.

PCGS 1,042, NGC 822, CAC 210. Only 113 of the PCGS coins have the "+" grade, and finer pieces number a total of 135 at PCGS, topping out at MS68+. Auction prices have been at \$705.00 (9/15) for a white coin with CAC approval. This one with such splendid toning should bring more!

PCGS # 7142 | EST: \$650.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 353

\$1 1883-CC PCGS MS66 DMPL CAC

This is a very pleasing, completely untouched gem DMPL. The glassy mirrors are a full 8" deep with terrific blast. There are a few tiny scattered ticks, none are serious or detracting. Miss Liberty and the details are thickly frosted and have full strikes. The eye appeal is bold!

PCGS 132, NGC 41, CAC 22. The last 1883-CC PCGS CAC to sell at auction brought \$4,700.00 (2/15) and this coin has been off the market for several years.

PCGS # 97145 | EST: \$3,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 354

\$1 1883-CC PCGS MS66+

Great color and outstanding luster for this popular Carson City issue, with outstanding fields. One tiny kiss away on Miss Liberty's cheek from a superb grade, and that is barely worth mentioning. A simply splendid example of this issue.

PCGS 2,252, NGC 1,881. The most recent auction record for a comparable coin brought \$1,175.00 (6/15) and this one should bring that or more.

PCGS # 7144 | EST: \$900.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 355

\$1 1884-CC PCGS MS66 DMPL CAC

Super flashy with strong contrast. The bold, icy mirrors are a full 8", with outstanding clarity and only a few trivial ticks. Miss Liberty and the details are fully struck and have thick frost. This is not a coin that was struck from the rusted dies. The eye appeal is tremendous!

PCGS 140 NGC 58, CAC 21. The last PCGS CAC piece to sell at auction brought \$3,563.00 (9/14), but with no examples crossing the auction block in over a year we think you'll see extra strong bidding on this fully black and white gem!

PCGS # 97153 | EST: \$3,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 356

\$1 1884-S PCGS AU58 CAC

Gorgeous surfaces and eye appeal with just a whisper of wear on the highest points of the design that nudge this one back from Mint State. The fields are slightly prooflike, and display only light marks when closely examined. Essentially a white coin, save for a dash of light russet gold around the rims. A simply fantastic example of this issue, and a coin that would fit well into a Mint State collection.

PCGS 1,043, NGC 1,751, CAC 119. A similar example with CAC approval recently brought \$1,998.00 (9/15). Make sure to notice how few of these AU58 coins have earned CAC approval and expect to pay a well deserved premium to capture this beauty!

PCGS # 7156 | EST: \$2,600.00+



LOT 357

\$1 1885 PCGS MS66+ PL CAC

This is a coin you must see to believe! It's as close to DMPL as you'll ever see for a PL, with full 8" mirrors. You don't even see the typical softness above the eagle's head, so we're unsure why PCGS opted not to award a full DMPL rating. Besides the flashy mirrors, the surfaces also have great clarity and cleanliness. Miss Liberty and the details are thickly frosted with full strikes and the cheek will please anyone's "old time" standards. The eye appeal is tremendous!

PCGS 71, NGC 47, CAC 29. PCGS has graded only eight pieces in MS66+ PL and the last sold for a ridiculous \$999.00 (10/15). We expect this borderline DMPL to be bid much higher.

PCGS # 7159 | EST: \$1,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 358

\$1 1885-CC PCGS MS66 CAC

Blazing bright white with strong luster and solid cartwheel eye appeal. This is certainly a high-end coin for the grade assigned, as Miss Liberty's cheek has only minute scuffs in the luster, and the surrounding fields are super clean. The reverse is simply stunning as well. Expect to pay a premium for this premium coin!

PCGS 1,239, NGC 1,129, CAC 215. One recent auction price realized is \$1,998.00 (10/15) but that coin had only light toning and did not have CAC approval. This comparable, but finer, blazer with CAC approval should command a stronger and well deserved price.

**PCGS # 7160 | EST: \$1,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.**



LOT 359

\$1 1885-CC PCGS MS66 DMPL CAC

This was a well known coin on the bourse floor a few years ago. It was owned by the late Dave Wiegand, a dealer with a great eye for DMPLs. He had paid a significant sum for this coin and proudly displayed it. Our sister company Legend Numismatics had tried to buy it and at one point but Dave held firm, and instead it went to a collector who topped their offer and has been with them since.

This is a headlight Cameo coin, with deep, 8" mirrors, which are amazingly clear. There are very few ticks and no scuffs. Miss Liberty and the details are thickly frosted and fully struck. Her cheek will please any picky buyer. The eye appeal is tremendous!

PCGS 43, NGC 20, CAC 11. The last 1885-CC PCGS MS66 DMPL to sell at auction was not CAC approved, but still brought \$10,575.00 (10/15) and the last PCGS CAC piece to sell realized \$11,750.00 (8/14). We easily expect this outrageous DMPL to exceed that number. If you seek a high-end, heart pounding 1885-CC DMPL, here is your dream coin.

**PCGS # 97161 | EST: \$11,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.**



LOT 360

\$1 1885-S PCGS MS65

Amazing snow white luster on this tough San Francisco issue, which is hard to find at the gem level and downright rare any finer. What few nicks are present are mostly located on the reverse, keeping the obverse downright exceptional in eye appeal.

PCGS 523, NGC 248. Recent auction records for a similar white coin are noted at \$1,568.00 (8/15) and this one should do even better as Miss Liberty's cheek is super clean for the grade assigned.

PCGS # 7164 | EST: \$1,250.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 361

\$1 1886-S PCGS MS63

Frosty and bright with strong luster and just a whisper of pale gold toning.

PCGS 1,957, NGC 1,033. A tough coin to find appreciably finer! Auction record of \$494.00 (10/15) for this grade.

PCGS # 7170 | EST: \$400.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 362

\$1 1886-S PCGS MS65+ CAC

One of the finer examples certified by PCGS with only three at this grade level and a mere 49 finer, mostly at the MS66 grade. A bold example to pursue by the date specialist as each incremental nudge finer doubles the price or more! This one offers both condition rarity and great quality.

PCGS 335, NGC 120, CAC 39. Remember, only three of the 335 PCGS coins have the "+" grade! We established the only auction record for this grade level at \$3,643.00 (6/15) and hope to break that level with this splendid coin!

PCGS # 7170 | EST: \$3,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 363

\$1 1887 PCGS MS67

Fully brilliant white with no signs of toning. This is clearly a coin of exceptional quality to earn the MS67 grade from PCGS. Miss Liberty's cheek and neck are pristine, with little more than a few trivial luster scuffs, and the surrounding fields display unbroken luster and endless eye appeal. As nice as any collector could hope to find to represent this date.

PCGS 125, NGC 357. PCGS has graded only three of those noted with the "+" grade and a single coin finer at MS68! A similar example sold for \$1,087.00 (8/15) and this one should bring every bit of that or more.

PCGS # 7172 | EST: \$950.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 364

\$1 1888-O PCGS MS66+ PL CAC

Tied for the finest known with one other MS66+ in the Prooflike category at PCGS. Glittering reflectivity in the fields provides a handsome backdrop for the frosted devices to float upon. Miss Liberty's cheek is exceptionally clean! If you love contrast, cleanliness and superior surfaces, then this is the coin to secure for your advanced collection.

PCGS 11, NGC 4, CAC 7. Only one other MS66+ in the PCGS number, and this one is fantastic. The other example at this grade level with a CAC sticker sold at auction for \$8,813.00 (1/14) so expect to raise the bar when this amazing coin comes up at auction.

PCGS # 7185 | EST: \$6,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 365

\$1 1891-CC PCGS MS65

White and frosty with a ring of russet around the rims of the obverse and reverse. The strike is bold and the surfaces outstanding in quality. This is the "Spitting Eagle" variety seen on a number of this date and Mint, where a small die lump formed in the strategic location just below the beak of the eagle as if he dribbled something. Miss Liberty's cheek is satin smooth and displays no more than a couple of trivial scuffs. As nice as this date and Mint can readily be obtained, as finer coins are downright sparse.

PCGS 633, NGC 179. Recent auction price of \$3,290.00 (9/15) for a similar lightly toned example. This one is also very nice and will satisfy any specialist.

PCGS # 7206 | EST: \$2,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 366

\$1 1891-S PCGS MS65

Bright white and lustrous with clean fields and surfaces. A popular San Francisco issue that is tough to find this nice and rare any finer. This exceptional coin is as Mint fresh as one could hope to find, with no signs of toning whatsoever.

PCGS 477, NGC 234. A recent auction record for a well struck white coin hit \$1,880.00 (9/15) and this one should be worth that.

PCGS # 7210 | EST: \$1,400.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 367

\$1 1893-CC PCGS MS64 CAC

A key date and Mint that is highly sought after in grades like this, as so few exist to satisfy growing collector demand. This particular coin offers super clean surfaces that nudge ever so close to the gem grade, with sparkling white frost on the devices and slightly reflective fields. The strike is bold, particularly on eagle's breast feathers. PCGS has graded a scant 46 pieces finer than this one, and there are 551 at this grade level. Compelling collector quality which blends price and availability nicely.

PCGS 583, NGC 206, CAC 47. A similar coin at this grade level brought \$11,750.00 (10/15) but it did not have CAC approval and was comparatively lackluster. This one should bring a much stronger price.

PCGS # 7222 | EST: \$9,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 368

\$1 1898-O PCGS MS67+ CAC

Legend Auctions is pleased to have been consigned this special 1898-O Morgan Dollar, one of the very finest ever graded. Remarkable, unaltered, undipped surfaces are exceedingly clean and satiny smooth, with only one microscopic tick to be found. Both sides are a superb, original white. Miss Liberty and the details are frosted and have crisp fulls strikes. The eye appeal is amazing!

PCGS 217, NGC 176, CAC 53. PCGS has graded only four coins in MS67+ with none higher and the last to sell at auction brought \$9,400.00 (7/14). Finding a coin like this with a mintage of 4.4 million is like finding a needle in a haystack! Opportunity knocks.

PCGS # 7254 | EST: \$7,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 369

\$1 1900 PCGS MS66+ CAC

This snow white coin offers a degree of reflectivity in the fields which induces modest contrast between the frosted devices. Here is a situation that deserves mention, rarely does this date come sharply impressed, especially on the hair above Miss Liberty's ear. This particular coin has a bold strike on the tiny oval over the ear curls as well as the eagle's breast feathers. Collector interest should be strong, as the combination of bold strike and exceptional quality is seldom found on a 1900 Morgan Dollar.

PCGS 744, NGC 606, CAC 176. PCGS notes that only 71 pieces have the "+" grade at MS66, and that brings more clarity to the condition rarity being offered. We anticipate a strong bidding battle to secure this strike and condition rarity.

PCGS # 7264 | EST: \$750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 370

\$1 1900-O PCGS MS66+ CAC

A satiny white coin that offers blazing Mint luster and a bold strike. Toning is limited to delicate gold tint around the periphery but does not impede the luster. All of the surfaces are remarkably clean and attractive.

PCGS 1,083, NGC 1,018, CAC 273. Only 93 of the PCGS coins offer the "+" grade, which shows how the numbers certified really tail off at that grade level. A recent auction price for a CAC approved coin landed at \$1,175.00 (9/15). Impressive quality and strong visual appeal.

PCGS # 7266 | EST: \$900.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 372

\$1 1900-S PCGS MS66+ CAC

One of the finest certified of the date and Mint, exceeded by only two MS67 coins at PCGS. Furthermore, only thirteen exist at the MS66+ grade, so any specialist would do well to secure this stellar example. Booming white luster, and completely free of toning, so perfect for the collector who demands Mint fresh white pieces.

PCGS 122, NGC 27, CAC 24. The last comparable white coin to sell at this grade level garnered \$5,875.00 (4/14) and this should bring that or more. Outstanding!

PCGS # 7270 | EST: \$3,750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 371

\$1 1900-S PCGS MS66

Fantastic quality for this scarce date and Mint, and one of the finer coins certified. PCGS has only graded fifteen coins finer than this lovely MS66 piece, so don't expect a much better one to turn up tomorrow! Booming white frost and semi-reflective fields. The only signs of toning are a dark golden ring around both sides, with the vibrant, untuned centers. A high-end example for the date specialist!

PCGS 122, NGC 27. The CoinFacts price is \$3,800.00 for this grade, and this coin should bring close to that level. An important offering for the Morgan Dollar specialist!

PCGS # 7270 | EST: \$2,750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 373

\$1 1901-S PCGS MS66

One of the finest certified by PCGS of this date, with 33 at this level and a mere six coins graded higher. There were only a couple of bags of these that traded decades ago, and this is borne out in the numbers certified today, as there simply are not a lot of Mint State 1901-S Morgans around. Even LaVerre Redfield didn't have this date and he had ample supplies of most of the "S" Mint issues. Hence the collectors today would do well to secure a high-end one like this when available. A fantastic and appealing coin that will never need to be upgraded by a finer example.

PCGS 36, NGC 6. A similar white coin sold at auction for \$9,400.00 (8/15) and this one should bring that level or more.

PCGS # 7276 | EST: \$8,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 374

\$1 1903-O PCGS MS66 CAC

Tough to find this nice and always in strong collector demand as this issue was one of the rarest Morgan Dollars a few generations ago until a few bags turned up in the 1960s. This one has a clean cheek on Miss Liberty save for a thin line behind her profile. Great surfaces and pleasing in every regard.

PCGS 700, NGC 349, CAC 140. A recent auction price of \$1,410.00 (10/15) is noted for guidance. This coin appears to have a sharper strike, but both are white and lustrous.

PCGS # 7286 | EST: \$1,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 375

\$1 1921-S MORGAN PCGS MS66

Great luster and amazing surfaces for a 1921-S Morgan and essentially white with a glaze of pale gold that spans both sides. The strike is typical of this issue, with minor softness on the devices, but the hair curls over Miss Liberty's ear are still separated. PCGS has only graded 76 at this level with the finest limited to five coins with the "+" grade!

PCGS 81, NGC 63. A recent auction record of \$3,173.00 (11/15) seems like a bargain considering the numbers cited. This market softness won't last forever, and these should command a much stronger level for this kind of quality and appeal.

PCGS # 7300 | EST: \$2,750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 376

\$1 1890 PCGS PR65+

The obverse is toned with a dizzying array of tawny gold with vivid blue and teal accents around the rims. The reverse is toned even deeper with classic flashes of blue, rose, and gray when examined under a light. Glassy fields offer strong reflectivity contrasting with the frosted devices. The Proof mintage for 1890 came in at only 590 pieces, this number became the lowest mintage for any Proof date in this series. Finding gems requires patience, and especially if one is looking for a colorful example. There are precious few around today that can top the quality offered here, so bid accordingly to secure this elusive Proof Morgan Dollar.

PCGS 15, NGC 19. Only a single coin has earned the "+" grade from PCGS at PR65, and here it is. This coin last sold at auction for \$4,465.00 (1/15), but given the colorful toning and handsome surfaces we feel it should be worth more today.

PCGS # 7325 | EST: \$4,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 377

\$1 1896 PCGS PR67 CAM CAC

Deep, watery mirrors beam vividly from all over with great clarity, cleanliness and bold reflectivity. There is a very faint trace of gold on the reverse. Miss Liberty and the details are needle sharp in strike and are coated by thick gorgeous creamy white frost. The eye appeal is fabulous!

PCGS 3, NGC 17, CAC 3. Of the 762 minted, PCGS has graded only one coin higher. The last of this date and grade to sell at auction brought \$32,900.00 (8/13) and there have been none offered since as these are not as common as you might think. This is piece would make a wonderful addition to any gem Morgan Dollar Proof Set. Good luck!

PCGS # 87331 | EST: \$22,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

LOT 378

\$1 1902 PCGS PR67 CAC

OGH. Gorgeous ancient tawny gold and blue toning which flashes with amazing contrast over the mirror fields and frosted devices. The Proof production of 1902 dribbled to a halt at 777 pieces, but in terms of quality this is one of the finer examples certified by PCGS. Only four have been certified at this grade level and these are topped by precisely three coins at PR68. Add to this mix the glorious toning offered here, the antique PCGS green label holder, and CAC approval and you have a compelling argument that this may be one of the finest 1902 Proof Morgan Dollars in existence.

This type of elegant toning has been seen on the most original sets that were put away at the time of issue and left in the original paper wrapping from the Philadelphia Mint. Such toning takes generations to develop and truly comes alive when examined under a light, with vivid shades of blue and russet dancing across the glassy fields and frosty devices. The effect is stunning.

PCGS 4, NGC 11, CAC 4. There are so few 1902 Proof dollars that none of the recent auction records seem relevant. CoinFacts gives an estimate of \$18,500.00 and this should bring around that figure.

PCGS # 7337 | EST: \$12,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.





LOT 379

\$1 1882-CC GSA NGC MS62*

The obverse shows about 80% toning with the top bright silver where a coin laid over that small area at the top of the bag. The colors begin with gold and teal first, deepening to amber, crimson and velvet green, while the reverse is white save for a touch of amber. The surfaces have some bagmarks as expected, but these are toned over and easy to overlook given the intensity of the toning.

This one is all about the toning, and rarely do GSA coins offer such spectacular color.

PCGS # 7134 | This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 380

\$1 1882-CC GSA NGC MS62*

The obverse offers handsome toning which ranges from pale gold to amber then deepens in the left obverse field into crimson with a touch of peripheral blue. The reverse is mostly white with an arc of blue and amber at the upper left. Decent surfaces, with reasonable eye appeal.

While not exceptionally toned, this one is rather charming for the soft changing hues that sweep the obverse.

PCGS # 7134 | This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 381

\$1 1883-CC GSA NGC MS62

White with a small area of intense toning waves on both the obverse and reverse. Both areas start with the usual amber then teal and crimson. The obverse has the toning on the date and left, the reverse on the upper left side. Highly appealing!

Another seductive Carson City GSA with the desirable original bag toning. Hard to put a number on these, but let's say whatever this one brings is certainly worth a premium! Colors like this are hard to find, especially on both sides of a GSA Morgan Dollar.

PCGS # 7144 | This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 382

\$1 1883-CC GSA NGC MS64

Mostly white and satiny on the obverse with a touch of amber and teal on the upper left rim, the reverse is amazing with the left side of the coin glowing with bands of rainbow shades. The center starts with light amber, then teal, crimson, and finally green and back to deeper crimson at the rim. Furthermore the surfaces are a delight, with minimal bag disturbances and great luster.

This is another one that can't compare to a typical white coin, as the color is a huge swing factor. When found to this degree on a GSA then it can get quite pricey--which it certainly deserves!

PCGS # 7144 | This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 383

\$1 1883-CC GSA NGC MS65

The obverse shows unusual toning of a subtle blend of amber and rose with a bit of teal in the fields and deeper reds and greens in along the left obverse rim. Satiny luster and well preserved with minimal signs of bag contact. Highly appealing and desirable for a Carson City GSA issue!

Toned GSA dollars are always in great demand as not many survive and these have really become collectible. When a nicely toned example like this appears, especially at the gem level, you can rely on a strong price!

PCGS # 7144 | This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 384

\$1 1883-CC GSA NGC MS65

Here is an incredible coin with classic deep toning on the obverse from long bag storage--the lighter hues are located at the date and right, with sunset gold and amber. Quickly the centers are flooded with crimson rose, with areas of fuchsia flashing in the light. The balance of the upper left half is a blend of deep green and blue and traces of the original canvas bag pattern can be seen on the lower right obverse. While the colors are a bit deep, their elegance is still apparent.

A tough issue to find with this degree of original toning!

PCGS # 7144 | This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 385

\$1 1884-CC GSA NGC MS64

The entire obverse is toned with light blue mixed with green, the left field showing a dash of rose while the right side offers golden amber iridescence. The reverse is bright white and lustrous. A handsome coin!

These toned GSA dollars are tough to find at all let alone this well preserved. The color on this one is remarkably uniform.

PCGS # 7152 | This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 386

\$1 1884-CC GSA NGC MS64+

The obverse shows deep toning over about forty percent of the lower right of the coin from where another coin lay atop it in the canvas bag. The upper left is bright white and satiny while the lower right is deep charcoal with colorful iridescence when examined under a light. The reverse is white.

PCGS and NGC data are not meaningful as this one is worth what the handsome colors will bring.

PCGS # 7152 | This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 387

\$1 1884-CC GSA NGC MS65

The obverse offers delicate rose and teal toning on the lower left third of the coin and is mostly bright silver elsewhere. The reverse is white and lustrous. Excellent surfaces as expected for the gem grade!

PCGS and NGC data are not meaningful as the color is what drives the price!

PCGS # 7152 | This coin is being sold with no reserve.

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LOT 388

\$1 1883-CC & 1884-CC NGC MS63 GSA SET

The 1883-CC has glorious reverse toning of honey amber fading to deeper crimson and royal blue on the upper left, while the obverse is white. The 1884-CC is toned on the obverse with an even layer of russet to amber with a few scuffs in the color, and white on the reverse.

An interesting pair that should excite the toning specialist who desires an obverse/reverse set!

PCGS # 7144 | These coins are being sold with no reserve.



LOT 389

\$1 1921 PEACE HIGH RELIEF PCGS MS65

Both the obverse and reverse are toned with splashes of golden iridescence, flashes of blue in the design recesses, and strong luster beneath. The strike is average for this issue, with some softness at the very center of the design as commonly seen on these handsome High Relief coins. Perfect for the type or date collector!

PCGS 1,372, NGC 1,211. A recent auction price for a similar coin came in at \$1,645.00 (9/15) and this one should bring that or more for its attractive toning.

PCGS # 7356 | EST: \$1,250.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 391

\$1 1923-S PCGS MS64+ CAC

A classic high-end example of this elusive date and Mint. Collectors of the Peace Dollar series soon learn that the 1923-S is an issue that is nearly impossible to find in MS65, and when they do they command a price in the mid-four figure range. Hence, this elegantly toned, CAC approved sparkling coin offers an excellent compromise, offering great eye appeal and quality for a reasonable price level. Super clean for the grade assigned!

PCGS 2,171, NGC 1,847, CAC 153. Only 126 of the PCGS coins noted offer the "+" grade and fewer still have CAC approval. The most recent CAC approved coin sold for a mere \$734.00 (7/15) which seems way too cheap! This one is outstanding and should bring more.

PCGS # 7362 | EST: \$650.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 390

\$1 1922-S PCGS MS65 CAC

Glittering and bright with solid luster and no signs of toning. The strike is reasonably sharp and the surfaces are super clean. As with most of the San Francisco Peace Dollars, an MS65 grade is a triumph to find! Not many achieve this grade level and precious few any finer! Destined for an advanced collection of this popular and challenging series.

PCGS 402, NGC 264, CAC 71. A closely matched white coin with CAC approval brought \$2,291.00 (10/15) recently and this one should bring that price or more.

PCGS # 7359 | EST: \$2,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 392

\$1 1923-S PCGS MS65

Incredible quality for this elusive San Francisco date, as so few qualify at the gem grade level. Here is one that has it in spades, with amazing luster and satin glow. PCGS has graded 135 this high and importantly just four coins finer! That confirms just what a true condition rarity this is. Examine the surfaces and enjoy the quality here, and consider raising your bid if you hope to capture this prize.

PCGS 136, NGC 80. The last example to trade bought \$4,230.00 (8/15) and this sparkling coin could bring even more.

PCGS # 7362 | EST: \$3,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 393

\$1 1924-S PCGS MS64 CAC

This is one of the toughest dates to find in high grades, especially graced by attractive toning and radiant Mint luster as found here! The rims show delicate blue and russet flecks while most of the surrounding fields and devices offer satiny white luster which super fresh! Light bagmarks are present, but none are heavy or detracting to the eye. If you want a really nice example of this prized San Francisco issue, then take a look at this handsome coin.

PCGS 1,380, NGC 925, CAC 152. The most recent CAC coin to sell hit \$999.00 (9/15) at auction, and this one has the added feature of delicate toning and even more radiant luster. Don't miss out as these are really tough to find with CAC approval, as most are poorly struck, dipped, and decidedly less desirable than this handsome, original fresh coin.

PCGS # 7364 | EST: \$800.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 395

\$1 1925 PCGS MS67 CAC

Creamy white luster and stark white in color. The surfaces are exemplary with virtually no hints of contact. The broad open fields are amazing, as well as Miss Liberty's cheek and neck. Tied with a highly select group of 104 at the top of the PCGS grades with just one single coin finer with the "+" designation. Expect to pay a premium for this incredible coin, but it will be well worth the cost.

PCGS 105, NGC 80, CAC 37. The most recent auction price hit \$4,000.00 (9/15) for a CAC coin but that price is low compared to prior recent offerings. This one should top that level with ease.

PCGS # 7365 | EST: \$400.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 394

\$1 1925 PCGS MS66 CAC

Outstanding preservation for this date and Mint, and wholly white save for a touch of russet at the rim. Well struck and exceptionally appealing, even for this plentiful issue.

PCGS 1,924, NGC 1,805, CAC 482. A recent auction price for a CAC approved coin hit \$423.00 (10/15) and this one should bring a similar amount. Handsome quality!

PCGS # 7365 | EST: \$400.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

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LOT 396

\$1 1925-S PCGS MS65 CAC

This is without question the second finest 1925-S Peace Dollar we've ever seen. The superior surfaces on this borderline MS66 are incredibly clean and smooth, and typical for the date, the luster is moderate. A light skin of original off-white/pale pewter/pale reddish gold is visible, though the coin looks closer to a creamy white.

Most importantly, Miss Liberty and the details are above average in strike. This is anything but a flat San Francisco issue. The eye appeal is superb!

PCGS 42, NGC 64, CAC 7. PCGS has graded none higher and the most recent auction record for a gem 1925-S comes in at \$30,550.00 (8/15). This coin has resided in a private collection since early 2013. Unless you're seeking a blazing frosty white coin, you won't be disappointed!

PCGS # 7366 | EST: \$27,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.





LOT 397

\$1 1926 PCGS MS66 CAC

Bright and lustrous with a solid strike for this issue and showing strong visual appeal. There are a few small traces of russet toning, mostly in the form of tiny specks and a small dollop on the eagle's tail feathers. These are really tough to find so smooth and free of bagmarks! A mere 206 have been so graded at PCGS and importantly only six are finer, all with the "+" grade above!

PCGS 212, NGC 55, CAC 48. The most recent auction price for a CAC approved coin hit \$3,760.00 (8/15) and that seems like a fair price for this kind of towering quality.

PCGS # 7367 | EST: \$3,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 398

\$1 1926-D PCGS MS66 CAC

White with a fine hint of blue and gold around the rims meaning that this coin likely spent some time in an album. The surfaces are super clean and the luster especially vibrant. Amazing quality surfaces for this tough Denver Mint issue. A powerful example that deserves an honored place in an advanced collection.

PCGS 216, NGC 112, CAC 48. PCGS has only graded fifteen finer coins of this date, and six of those are MS66+ noted within the population figure herein. A recent auction price for a similar coin hit the level of \$2,620.00 (11/15). Good luck!

PCGS # 7638 | EST: \$2,250.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 399

\$1 1926-S PCGS MS65 CAC

Attractive deep golden iridescence with teal and russet accents over the entire coin. The strike is sharp and the surfaces pleasing. Close scrutiny finds a single hairline down Miss Liberty's cheek but this is old and blends in well with the color. A tough issue to find this nice, especially with CAC approval!

PCGS 707, NGC 395, CAC 98. A similar coin sold for \$1,058.00 (9/15) and we feel this one should be worth more. Rarely are these Peace Dollars found with such great toning!

PCGS # 7369 | EST: \$800.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

LOT 400

\$1 1927-S PCGS MS65

Stark white and full lustrous for this condition rarity. The surfaces are the key to success here, as so few can offer the eye appeal and super clean fields and devices. To date PCGS a graded a mere 77 at this grade level and importantly just three coins any finer! Two of those are MS65+ and the top one is MS66. A prize for the astute numismatist!

PCGS 79, NGC 81. A recent auction price for this date and grade is \$8,813.00 (8/15). If you're a serious specialist and need a snowy white gem, here is one to strongly consider.

PCGS # 7372 | EST: \$6,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.





LOT 401

\$1 1928-S PCGS MS64+ CAC

This is one of the toughest issues to find in a high grade. The strike is sharp, and the surfaces pleasing with only a few stray bagmarks noted when closely examined. Essentially a white coin with a dash of russet gold near the peripheries. PCGS in their Population Report note only 58 pieces finer, and each brings a price of roughly ten times what this coin should realize. Hence this is a value play that makes a lot of sense to most collectors.

PCGS 2,124, NGC 1,320, CAC 226. We note that the PCGS population includes both MS64 and MS64+ coins, with the later tallying a mere 171 pieces. Combine that with the limited number sporting a CAC sticker and you end up with a real winner here. The last CAC example to trade brought \$1,293.00 (10/15) and the next grade higher would cost you upwards of \$20,000.00, if you could find one!

PCGS # 7374 | EST: \$2,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 403

\$1 1934 PCGS MS65

A fully brilliant, white satiny gem that offers strong visual appeal and incredible surfaces. Super clean surfaces as expected, and what few bagmarks there are tend to be on the reverse where they blend into the devices and lettering. Sweet eye appeal!

PCGS 694, NGC 387. One recent auction sale realized \$705.00 (9/15) for this date and grade. We expect this one to bring more.

PCGS # 7375 | EST: \$650.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 402

\$1 1934 PCGS MS65

Satin white with exceptional luster and a solid strike. The surfaces are outstanding with nary a nick or scuff to be found, and the eye appeal is exceptional for this late issue Peace Dollar. All dates of this series are difficult to find at the gem level, and this one is certain to please.

PCGS 688, NGC 387. One recent auction record is noted at \$705.00 (9/15) for a similar white coin.

PCGS # 7375 | EST: \$650.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 404

\$1 1934-D PCGS MS64+ CAC

Bright and flashy with a thin veil of silver-gray patina that spans both sides. The strike is sharp and this piece also has a delightful satin sheen. Excellent surfaces and appeal, and a tough issue to find this well preserved.

PCGS 1,440, NGC 825, CAC 115. The most recent sale for a CAC approved coin commanded \$999.00 (8/15) and this one should bring that price or more. Notice how few MS64 level coins earn CAC approval, so keep that in mind when figuring your bid.

PCGS # 7376 | EST: \$850.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 405

\$1 1934-S PCGS AU58 CAC

Essentially full Mint luster and bright white with a hint of peripheral gold toning. The surfaces are much cleaner than commonly seen as even brief time in the channels of commerce usually strips more luster from the fields and imparts considerably more nicks on the devices. That is certainly not the case here, and as a result the eye appeal is much stronger than average. This is a coin that would fit well in a Mint State collection as it offers that similar "look". In many ways more desirable than a typical low-end Mint State coin that spent more time jostling about in canvas bags.

PCGS 488, NGC 439, CAC 39. A similar CAC approved example of this issue brought \$1,116.00 (7/15). This one should bring that amount or even more! Good luck on this key date issue.

PCGS # 7377 | EST: \$900.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 406

\$1 1935-S PCGS MS65+ CAC

Flashy and bright with clean surfaces and glorious eye appeal. A white coin with a dusting of faint patina on both sides. Miss Liberty's cheek and neck show only a few trivial luster scuffs.

PCGS 760, NGC 420, CAC 129. The last of these to trade realized \$1,998.00 (10/15). Good luck!

PCGS # 7379 | EST: \$1,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 407

\$1 1935-S PCGS MS66 CAC

A condition rarity at this lofty grade, and here is a snow white coin that shows radiant Mint luster. The strike is sharp the surfaces are simply outstanding in quality. Notice the fields and Miss Liberty's face, they are so clean and fresh. Add to this mix the hard to earn CAC approval and you have a high-end, top notch example of this elusive San Francisco date. While PCGS has graded 140 this high, there are only four graded any higher!

PCGS 142, NGC 65, CAC 30. The last of these to trade at auction brought \$4,935.00 (8/15) but it didn't have CAC approval.

Make sure to view this lovely coin if you desire eye appeal and sparkling white quality.

PCGS # 7379 | EST: \$4,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 408

\$1 1972-D PCGS MS66+ CAC

This is a truly exceptional Ike Dollar and one of the finer examples certified of this date and Mint. The color is classic steel gray with undisturbed luster and surfaces. A loupe finds little more than a couple of ticks from bag handling, and no signs of toning.

PCGS 442, NGC 313, CAC 36. Only sixteen of the PCGS coins noted have the "+" designation, and combined with CAC approval makes a tough combination. Finer examples max out at MS67 and PCGS has graded only twelve at that level. Auction records for an MS66+ with CAC approval include one at \$705.00 (1/15) but that one had rather tawdry toning that lacked appeal. This satin delight will surely bring more!

PCGS # 7410 | EST: \$600.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 409

\$1 1976 BICENTENNIAL TYPE 2 PCGS MS67

Amazing, delicate golden-blue toning on both sides that is subtle but also wholesome as the colors are well balanced and span both sides in a uniform fashion. This one certainly has booming eye appeal even if the colors are somewhat soft on the intensity scale. Of course the quality of the surfaces is key here, and precious few of these grade so high today.

PCGS 27, NGC 3. A close match to the present coin brought \$2,585.00 (4/15) at auction. PCGS has only graded a single coin of the 27 noted with the "+" designation, and that one has not crossed the auction block. If you specialize in this series, here is an important offering of one of the finest certified of this important Bicentennial issue.

PCGS # 7419 | EST: \$2,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 410

G\$1 1916 MCKINLEY NGC MS65 CAC

Bright and slightly reflective in the fields for this issue, with a dash of copper toning to add to the appeal. The strike is bold, and the surfaces solid for the grade assigned.

PCGS 992, NGC 490, CAC 201. A recent auction record for an NGC MS65 CAC coin hit \$1,175.00 (8/15) and this should bring that price or more.

PCGS # 7454 | EST: \$900.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 411

G\$1 1922 GRANT W/ STAR PCGS MS67 CAC

OGH. Deep coppery-gold color throughout on this lustrous, superb commemorative coin. The color is as rich as one could hope for, attesting to careful storage for many years. The strike is sharp right down to the tiny window panes on the cabin. Tied with a select group as some of the finest seen, with a mere eight coins graded higher by PCGS, most with the "+" designation at the MS67 level. A prize that is destined for an advanced commemorative gold collection.

PCGS 255, NGC 120, CAC 78. A recent auction record stands at \$3,055.00 (9/15) for this issue with CAC approval. This one, with an old green holder, should bring even more.

PCGS # 7459 | EST: \$2,750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

LOT 412

G\$1 1856-S PCGS MS64 CAC EX DUKOR/AKERS

It's hard to believe a better 1856-S Gold Dollar exists. All duplicates should look this exceptional! Amazing, ultra clean surfaces have a light satiny smooth texture and exhibit traces of semi-prooflike mirrors. The booming luster shows off rich, original, spotless gold colors. Miss Liberty is boldly struck and stands out from a distance. The eye appeal is fabulous!

PCGS 3, NGC 3, CAC 4. This coin recently sold for \$44,650.00 (8/15), which our sister company Legend Numismatics felt was a tad on the low side and purchased it afterwards. One thing is certain, this date and grade are one of the top rarities of the entire Gold Dollar era. Collectors Universe agrees and values it at \$62,500.00. Once sold, you'll be hard pressed to find another 1856-S Gold Dollar!

PCGS # 7536 | EST: \$42,500.00+





LOT 413

G\$1 1867 PCGS MS67+ CAC

This is the finest graded by PCGS and there is no question this marvelous gem is more than worthy of its lofty designation. Bold, semi-prooflike mirrors beam vividly from all over. The surfaces appear clean to the naked eye, but with a strong loupe you can make out some light, Mint made die polishing lines and clashing. There is no haze and this unaltered coin is emblazoned with stunning, spotless, yellow gold on both sides and no discoloration of any kind. Miss Liberty and the details are thickly frosted and have crisp, stand out strikes. The eye appeal is tremendous!

PCGS 1, NGC 3, CAC 2. This is the sole and finest graded piece PCGS has ever handled in three decades of operations, though there may be an NGC MS68.

Obviously this piece has never traded hands or been offered at auction. A PCGS MS67 last sold for \$25,300.00 (3/04), but once this coin sells your chances are slim of finding another in comparable quality. Good luck!

**PCGS # 7566 | EST: \$25,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.**

LOT 414

G\$1 1869 PCGS MS67+ CAC

Slightly semi-prooflike surfaces are incredibly clean and slightly satiny. The planchet is void of any pitting, which is commonly seen on this date, and a full, booming luster shows off fiery, deep, spotless original gold color with no discoloration of any kind. Miss Liberty and the details are pinpoint sharp and thickly frosted. There is light contrast on this coin and the eye appeal is awesome!

PCGS 7, NGC 2, CAC 3. This is the only MS67+ graded by PCGS and it should be noted that a regular PCGS MS67 sold for \$15,483.00 (8/14) though that coin lacked the "+". There are two graded in MS68, one of which just brought \$42,300.00 at auction (8/15). If you're building a superb gem Gold Dollar or gem Type Set, this is a great coin to include.

PCGS # 7568 | EST: \$17,500.00+





LOT 415

G\$1 1870-S PCGS MS65+ CAC EX SIMPSON

The only reason this coin is even being offered is that the replacement in its former collection, the Akers/Dukor example, has wild color that Mr. Simpson adores. Regardless, this high-end piece is truly special! You can only detect a few microscopic ticks and light die polishing lines with a loupe. A full, booming luster shows off bright yellow gold colors and reveals only one tiny spot at 6:00 on the reverse rim. Miss Liberty and the details are exceptionally struck. The eye appeal is terrific!

PCGS 3, NGC 3, CAC 3. This is the lone MS65+ graded, and PCGS has graded only one MS66. This coin was replaced in its former collection by the Duckor 1870-S which last sold for \$37,600.00 (8/15). You're not going to have many chances to buy a coin with this kind of pedigree and quality!

PCGS # 7570 | EST: \$40,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

LOT 416

G\$1 1871 PCGS MS67+ CAC EX SIMPSON

It's hard to imagine that a finer 1871 Gold Dollar actually exists, but the coin offered here still ranks as one of the greatest Mint State 1871 Gold Dollars in existence! Nothing but the very best is included in the Simpson Collection.

Outrageous, flawless surfaces show traces of semi-prooflike mirrors that combine with a slightly satiny texture for a sensational appearance. Both sides are bathed in a marvelous, original, spotless deep orange/pale reddish gold. Miss Liberty and the details are sharply struck and thickly frosted. The eye appeal is tremendous!

PCGS 6, NGC 3, CAC 3. This piece last sold at auction for \$18,400.00 (8/11) and was replaced in the Simpson Collection by an MS68, the finest graded by PCGS, for \$35,250.00. This coin replicated the other's killer look, at a more affordable price! Good luck!

PCGS # 7571 | EST: \$18,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.





LOT 417

G\$1 1876 PCGS MS66+ CAC EX DUCKOR

This is one of the finest known 1876 Gold Dollars and is remarkable for its originality of coppery-gold over shimmering reflectivity in the fields. The strike is bold throughout, and the surfaces are simply outstanding with scarcely more than microscopic signs of contact. PCGS has graded only one other coin at the MS66+ grade and one more finer in MS67. NGC has seen two at the MS66 level and two finer, one in MS67, the other in MS67 PL. After all, only 3,200 pieces were struck, and today 300 or so have come down to us from this modest beginning. Many of the surviving 1876 Gold Dollars lack the depth of the strike of the present coin, and preservation from this early period in American numismatics left few that can claim the gem grade today.

When 1876 rolled around, massive celebrations were held to commemorate the 100th year since the Declaration of Independence was signed on July 4, 1776. Coinage seemed to show a little special care with most of the coins of 1876 offering sharp strikes when found in high grades. Although the disastrous effects of the Civil War were still being felt in 1876, trouble continued elsewhere. The western movement of the population had a huge wake up call when the commander of the 7th Cavalry, George A. Custer and most of his regiment were annihilated by vastly higher numbers of Native Americans from the Lakota, Dakota, Blackfoot Dakota, Northern Cheyenne, and Arapaho tribes that had joined forces to keep a portion of their ever decreasing open territory. When holding this 1876 Gold Dollar it is fun realize all the historical events it has survived, especially in such pristine condition.

PCGS 4, NGC 2, CAC 4. This coin recently sold for \$30,550.00 (8/15) and stands tall as one of the finest of this historic low mintage issue. The color and surfaces will delight anyone who views it! Good luck!

PCGS # 7577 | EST: \$20,000.00+

LOT 418

GS\$1 1881 PCGS MS68 CAC

Phenomenal quality with radiant Mint luster throughout and a bold strike. The surfaces are virtually perfect with no signs of handling and the luster is rich, vibrant and intact. Clearly a coin that has never been mishandled in any way! A mere 7,620 pieces were struck for the year as demand for small gold coins diminished as the hoarded coins flooded back into circulation in the years prior to this. Naturally demand for new coins dwindled reflecting the onslaught of old tenor coinage. What few were struck in 1881 tended to stay in banks or were set aside, such as this glorious piece. This is one of the finer examples certified and a coin that will bring a smile to any specialists face whenever it is viewed.

PCGS 43, NGC 34, CAC 24. A recent auction price of a coin with CAC approval landed at \$12,925.00 (8/15). Let's see how this coppery-gold jewel does when it crosses the block! Good luck!

PCGS # 7582 | EST: \$10,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.





LOT 419

G\$1 1882 NGC MS66 CAC

Scarce in all grades with a modest mintage of 5,000 pieces and few gems like this survive. Notice the resplendent greenish gold luster and bold strike. Outstanding preservation as expected!

Traces of light copper-gold toning attest to the originality.

PCGS 29, NGC 24, CAC 2. A recent auction price of a PCGS MS66 for comparison brought \$1,998.00 (10/15). This one is quite nice and should earn a premium price.

PCGS # 7583 | EST: \$1,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 420

G\$1 1887 NGC MS64 CAC

Old Holder. Blazing bright with satiny frost on the devices which are offset by the slightly reflective fields. The strike is sharp and the surfaces attractive with little more than a few trivial signs of contact when closely studied. The original mintage came in at 7,500 pieces of which perhaps twenty percent survive.

PCGS 131, NGC 111, CAC 11. Clearly this is a tough coin to find with CAC approval! The most recent CAC approved example we found was a PCGS MS64 that went for \$999.00 (1/14).

PCGS # 7588 | EST: \$800.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 421

G\$1 1888 PCGS MS67

Fantastic quality for this scarce date and one of the finer examples certified. Only 15,501 pieces were minted, and superb examples like this are few and far between. Full radiant luster with a tinge of greenish-gold color blended with the usual straw gold hue that dominates the surfaces. Examination finds little more than a few microscopic ticks, and the eye appeal is strong overall. The reverse die was rotated about ten degrees counterclockwise when this one was struck, as seen on several others of this date.

PCGS 47, NGC 37. A similar coin sold recently at auction for \$2,961.00 (7/15) and this one is equally handsome!

PCGS # 7589 | EST: \$2,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

LOT 422

\$2.5 1884 PCGS MS65 CAC

Legend Rare Coin Auctions is thrilled to offer this exceptional \$2.5 Liberty Gold rarity. At first glance it's easy to mistake this high-end coin for a Proof. Fully prooflike, 4" mirrors reveal just a few, microscopic, widely scattered ticks that do not detract from the overall eye appeal. The mirrors are still clean to the naked eye and both sides are bathed in a gorgeous, original orange/gold. There is one tiny toning dot on the OF on the reverse. Miss Liberty and the details are fully struck and thickly frosted and there is bold contrast between the devices and mirrors. The eye appeal is fabulous!

PCGS 3, NGC 3, CAC 2. Only 1,950 were minted and PCGS has graded none higher than this example. There hasn't been an auction record for a \$2.5 1884 in any grade since 1998, so obviously there is no accurate pricing data. If you collect better gold, then you'll know how ultra rare this date is in true gem. The choppiness of the market has made great coins like this cheap again and the current Collectors Universe value is \$25,000.00. This coin represents a terrific opportunity!

PCGS # 7836 | EST: \$20,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.





LOT 423

\$2.50 1896 PCGS PR68 DCAM CAC

This is the finest PCGS graded Proof 1896 Liberty Quarter Eagle with the Deep Cameo contrast and stands alone as the sole PR68 they have certified. Mesmerizing contrast for the advanced specialist who appreciates exceptional quality and the highest visual appeal. Furthermore, this exact coin has long been recognized as one of the finest known, coming from the John Jay Pittman Collection that was sold in 1998 by David Akers. Its surfaces, color, and appeal are absolutely a delight to behold.

The Proof mintage for 1896 increased over prior years to 132 pieces. Collector and institutional demand must have been growing in this period for these impressive Proof coins. Today perhaps 70 or so exist in all grades. Those struck early in the Proof production run sometimes offer this highest degree of contrast, the Deep Cameo designation. PCGS has certified no more than seventeen pieces with this extraordinary depth, and there is likely some duplication in submissions even in that modest number. The fields exhibit the familiar "orange peel" texture when closely examined, yet are as smooth as glass. The visual effect of striking Proof gold coins with the "orange peel" texture is well known, and quite alluring. Miss Liberty's cheek and neck are heaped with golden frost, a finely textured technique which helps to create the visual contrast with the reflective fields. The surfaces are as close to perfection as one could imagine, with no signs of handling or abuse of any consequence. For identification a minute planchet flake is missing from the field near the uppermost leaf point on the reverse and there is a tiny lint mark in the field just above the eagle's eye. An exceptional coin that will always dazzle any specialist lucky enough to acquire it, and one that will command respect as the finest of this issue.

PCGS 1, NGC 4, CAC 1. This same coin sold at auction for \$56,400.00 (8/15), but we feel it should be worth more. Especially true given the fact that it brought \$46,750.00 in 1998 when it was sold in the Pittman Collection. Quality like this never goes out of style, and any numismatist is going to absolutely love this coin.

PCGS # 97922 | EST: \$45,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 424

\$2.50 1911-D STRONG D PCGS MS64 CAC

Here is a glorious example of this key date with splendid luster, a solid strike, and amazing quality. The mintage is by far the lowest of the Indian Quarter Eagle series, halting after 55,600 pieces were struck. This date is rarely found in gem or finer grades, so this is the best possible coin most collectors can hope to obtain. Here is a perfect example for the astute numismatist who appreciates quality! Excellent orange-gold color throughout.

PCGS 313, NGC 423, CAC 70. The CAC population says it all. If you want a product coin there are plenty out there, but if you want quality, then here it is. The CoinFacts price for MS64 is \$26,000.00 and this coin should bring close to that figure.

PCGS # 7943 | EST: \$18,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 425

\$3 1854-O PCGS AU58 CAC

This is a key condition rarity that is almost never available this nice and so close to Mint State. In fact, PCGS for all its years of grading coins has only graded a single 1854-O in Mint State, at MS61. Despite the New Orleans Mint producing 24,000 pieces in this first year of issue of this denomination, not many were saved at the time of issue. \$3 was still a lot of money then, representing a week of labor for most workers. Thus, few were saved! Handsome quality with orange-gold luster in the fields and areas that show some original prooflike flash in the protected areas. The strike is rather sharp as most of Liberty's curls are well defined. At this lofty grade level there are not many to choose from and any collector would do well to secure this prized issue. Furthermore this is the only \$3 gold date issued by New Orleans.

PCGS 20, NGC 92, CAC 7. Notice again how few earn CAC approval at this grade level! The PCGS CoinFacts price is \$20,000.00 and this coin should bring more given the rarity and desirability of this particular piece. Good luck!

PCGS # 7971 | EST: \$15,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 426

\$3 1856-S PCGS AU58 CAC

This is a seldom seen a date in what we like to call "gem AU" and higher and this piece in particular has been off the market for several years. Smooth, exceptionally clean surfaces are spread all over and you can only detect a few light lines through a strong loupe. A moderate, original luster enhances even, deeper gold color. This coin has never been dipped or altered and shows zero spots or discoloration. Miss Liberty and the details are exceptionally struck.

The wear is very light and the eye appeal is terrific!

PCGS 28, NGC 87, CAC 7. No PCGS CAC AU58 has ever sold at auction, so there are no reliable price guides, though we estimate this coin is worth in the \$10,000.00 range. The Population Reports are misleading, as this is not an easy date to find in AU or higher!

PCGS # 7975 | EST: \$8,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 427

\$3 1860-S PCGS AU53 CAC

Here is a condition rarity of this prized San Francisco gold \$3 piece.

Only 7,000 pieces were struck and today it is likely that about 400 survive in all grades. There are just a couple of examples that grade Mint State, so most collectors of this series try to obtain a nice AU example when they are offered. Here is one that shows fantastic deep golden-gray patina over lustrous fields. The strike is sharp and the surfaces are quite clean with no distracting nicks or cuts. Anyone who is looking for a high-end representative of this issue would do well to secure this particular coin.

PCGS 10, NGC 12, CAC 2. Notice how few of these have CAC approval—and this is one of the two! This same coin sold for \$8,625.00 (7/12) the last time it was offered, and it should bring more today given how truly rare and popular high-end San Francisco gold has become. Don't miss out and Good luck!

PCGS # 7981 | EST: \$7,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 428

\$3 1871 NGC AU58 CAC

This is a low mintage date with a scant 1,300 pieces struck for the year. This offers nice surfaces and considerable reflectivity in the protected areas. The color is classic orange-gold.

PCGS 36, NGC 87, CAC 6. The most recent sale of this grade for an NGC AU58 brought \$3,055.00 (10/15) but that coin did not have CAC approval. An opportunity!

PCGS # 7993 | EST: \$2,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

LOT 429

\$3 1877 PCGS AU58 CAC

This numismatic treat has never been to auction and is certainly not just another chemically treated retread! This borderline Mint State coin has never been altered and CAC agrees. Both sides are fully prooflike and show nothing worse than a few light lines. Ticks are few and far between and not magnified by the strong mirrors, which show off the even, spotless orange gold. Miss Liberty and the details are exceptionally struck and lightly frosted. If this were a raw coin, you might call it Uncirculated. The eye appeal is fantastic!

PCGS 10, NGC 12. This date is known as the silent stopper and if you're a collector of this series, we don't have to tell you how important a coin like this is. Only 1,468 were ever minted and the last PCGS piece to sell at auction brought \$18,800.00 (9/15) but was not CAC approved. An NGC piece also sold last year for \$20,700.00! Opportunity knocks for the serious \$3 Gold collector.

PCGS # 7999 | EST: \$17,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.





LOT 430

\$3 1885 PCGS MS65 CAC

This superb coin has been close to our sister company Legend Numismatics for many years.

At first glance it looks like a proof. The mirrors are deep and exceptionally flashy and although a few very trivial ticks and lines are visible, there is no haze and the mirrors have great clarity. Both sides are a beautiful, original, spotless pale orange gold. Miss Liberty and the details are thickly frosted and fully struck. The eye appeal is stunning!

PCGS 12, NGC 4, CAC 3. Only 801 were minted and PCGS has graded only six coins higher, none of which are CAC stickered. We also think the PCGS population is suspect, as it may be closer to six or eight. The last PCGS piece to sell at auction brought \$27,025.00 (1/15) in a weak sale, but that coin did not have CAC approval. Legend Numismatics also bought this same coin in 2013 for \$31,225.00 and placed it with a collector where it has resided ever since. We think this date and grade offers huge upside potential, especially in this market and expect strong bidding on this great gold rarity!

PCGS # 8007 | EST: \$25,000.00

This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 431

\$5 1894-O NGC AU58 CAC

Flashy and bright, with just a hint of wear on the high points of Miss Liberty's curls and the eagle's wings. Clean surfaces are appealing for this scarce issue with a mere 16,600 pieces struck at the New Orleans Mint, and not many exist today.

Especially not so close to Mint State. The strike is decent but does show minor softness on the curls by Miss Liberty's temple, the arrow feathers, and claws just opposite these curls.

PCGS 35, NGC 127, CAC 12. The most recent auction record for an NGC AU58 without CAC approval hit \$1,175.00 (9/15). Notice that only twelve CAC coins are posted at this grade level!

PCGS # 8388 | EST: \$900.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

OUR ESTIMATES

The estimates you see published in this catalog are just that: estimates. Keep in mind that a coin could be either low or high end for the grade, have stunning color or be dull, all of which radically affect a coin's value. Yes, there can be huge price differences within a grade, and we offer estimates as a guide so collectors can have a better idea of value. One thing we will never do is offer low ball estimates in order to claim stronger sales.

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We always advise you to view the coins you are interested in and calculate what you'll pay using as much information as possible. If you have any questions, please feel free to ask us. We are here to help you!



LOT 432

\$5 1897-S NGC MS67+* CAC





LOT 432

\$5 1897-S NGC MS67+* CAC

Tied with one other as the second finest known of this date and Mint! What an incredible coin, the fields are semi reflective and retain all the satin perfection imparted by the Mint, while the devices are more frosty. Add a delicate glaze of copper gold toning that gives the slight antique appearance over the blazing Mint luster. The strike is bold throughout, but what makes this coin stand so tall are the absolute stunning quality of the fields. Close examination will locate just a couple of minor signs of handling and for identification we note a small reeding nick in the reverse fields near the upper arrow points. The finest example of this date and Mint is clearly the Eliasberg coin, which was purchased directly from the San Francisco Mint on 1897 by the Clapp family, and that coin has been off the market for more than a decade and is currently NGC MS69.

If you demand amazing quality and solid visual appeal then look no further than this majestic half eagle. While considered scarce in Mint State, any coins grading MS64 or finer are downright rare. There are a few, but precious few. Finding one at the MS67+ level is simply extraordinary, especially with the added "*" for eye appeal! This one should find a strong bid when it comes up for auction.

PCGS 3, NGC 3, CAC 3. Only one each of the PCGS and NGC coins noted have the "+" grade. We last sold the comparable PCGS MS67+ CAC coin for \$39,950.00 (9/15) and while this one may not quite bring that price, it certainly should realize close to that figure.

PCGS # 8395 | EST: \$30,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 433

\$5 1899 PCGS PR68+ DCAM





LOT 433

\$5 1899 PCGS PR68+ DCAM

This is the finest known and highest graded by PCGS of this date with the Deep Cameo designation or any other designation. A single NGC coin exists at the PR69 UCAM level that is probably the equal to this stunning superb gem. The frost on Miss Liberty is incredible, deep, and thick, and fully whitish gold in color while the mirror fields fall away in their reflective perfection. The color is absolutely bright and fresh, as though this coin was struck yesterday. Handling marks are essentially non-existent and one has to search closely to find any signs of contact or identifying marks at all. There are no lintmarks and the slightest hint of contact is noted in the left obverse field between Miss Liberty's chin and stars two and three. Notice the fields when studying the surfaces, they ripple with the expected (but even stronger than usual) orange peel effect, where the glassy smooth surfaces appear to have fine subsurface texture. This effect was created by the Mint and is primarily seen on these rare Proof gold coins. When found on a superlative example like this, the effect is mesmerizing.

Any experienced numismatist soon learns that quality is paramount to success in collecting. Most dealers advise collectors to "buy the best you can afford" of whatever it is you collect. While only a handful of the wealthiest collectors can afford a Proof gold coin like this, there will be considerable pride of ownership for the lucky purchaser of this prized condition rarity. While Proof coinage had been struck at the Philadelphia Mint for generations, they seemed to perfect the process to create the most dramatic effect during the late 1890s. This handsome half eagle is clearly extraordinary, the depth of frost is far thicker than usually encountered a decade or two prior, and the depth of the Deep Cameo contrast shows towering mirrors that possibly could not be achieved in prior years. Hence if you desire only one example of a gem Proof half eagle, then one from this decade would be a wise choice, as these tend to have the most dramatic contrast. Thankfully, more survive from the slightly higher mintages as well, when compared with the 1880s and prior years.

PCGS 1, NGC 1. The only recent auction appearance of anything close to this coin was the sale of an NGC PR68 UCAM at \$136,125.00 (8/15) at this year's ANA auction. If you demand quality, eye appeal, and the finest PCGS coin certified, then here it is.

PCGS # 98494 | EST: \$125,000.00+



LOT 434

\$5 1909-S PCGS AU58

This is one of those low mintage dates which is particularly hard to find in full Mint State, as few were saved at the time of issue and these were not sent overseas to survive in bag quantity as was sometimes the case, particularly for later issues. Of course the vast majority of these were melted down in the 1930s, leaving far fewer for date collectors today. This coin offers pleasing orange-gold color and original surfaces.

PCGS 79, NGC 246. One recent auction of a similar PCGS AU58 example brought \$1,116.00 (4/14) and this should be worth about that. There is a significant jump in price for those that grade MS61 or higher, so many collectors seek out a handsome AU58 like this to represent this issue.

PCGS # 8516 | EST: \$900.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

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The numbers are based upon current market values, similar trades, auction prices, published prices, and a consideration of the coin's quality.

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We always advise you to view the coins you are interested in and calculate what you'll pay using as much information as possible. If you have any questions, please feel free to ask us. We are here to help you!

LOT 435

\$10 1797 LARGE EAGLE PCGS AU55

BD-2. This is the first year of issue of the Heraldic Eagle reverse style and these were struck in limited numbers. Here is one that is wonderfully original, with characteristic deep orange gold color that shows hints of greenish copper. Examination finds all of Miss Liberty's curls intact along with her cap, and just the highest design elements show a touch of wear. The reverse shows the familiar Heraldic Eagle but with certain features that soon evolved on later date coinage. Notice how long the eagle's neck is and that his tail has only two rows of tail feathers. On later Heraldic Eagle reverse dies the eagle's neck is shortened considerably and his tail always has three rows of tailfeathers. The obverse design continued without significant change from 1795 through 1804.

Examining the surfaces finds no distracting problems from circulation or handling. Furthermore, and this is unusual, there are no traces of adjustment marks. Hence all the lettering is sharp along with the design elements. As a type or date coin, this would be a perfect selection as it retains strong definition and is highly original. Although three different die pairings were used to create the 1797 Heraldic Eagle coins, only a single obverse die was used, always seen with a crack through the second 7 to the drapery above. For the BD-2 variety offered here, there are believed to be between 80 and 100 surviving examples.

PCGS 35, NGC 27. A recent auction price for this grade is noted at \$30,550.00 (8/14) but demand for these early gold coins continues to grow so this one should bring even more.

PCGS # 8559 | EST: \$35,000.00+





LOT 436

\$10 1839/8 TYPE OF 1838 PCGS AU55

An especially bright and lustrous coin that shows virtually no wear save for the usual light handling marks on the soft gold surfaces. This is a singular type coin that was struck in 1838 and early 1839. Miss Liberty's truncation has a wonderful curve to it, and her hair is swept back over her ear and held in the bun tied with the beaded cord. Apparently Mint Officials determined that this design needed tinkering and by late 1839 the neck line lost its sinuous curve and her hair style had been altered. Hence collectors need to obtain an example of this short lived type, and pressure on the few surviving high grade coins has always keep these pricey. Here is a splendid example!

PCGS 8, NGC 25. The last PCGS coin to trade at auction realized \$12,650.00 (1/07) nearly nine years ago! While prices have risen and declined in the intervening years quality like this never goes out of style. A historic beauty!

PCGS # 8576 | EST: \$12,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 437

\$10 1903-S PCGS MS66+ CAC EX SIMPSON/HALL

This is the finest MS66+ we have ever seen! Mother Nature did her finest work on this superb gem! The surfaces are pristine and sleek, while a full, booming luster makes the wild, two tone, spotless orange/yellow gold colors really pop. Miss Liberty and the details are frosty and fully struck. The eye appeal is jaw dropping!

PCGS 18, NGC 36, CAC 3. PCGS has graded only two in MS66+ with just three finer. This coin will challenge any MS67 and it is nicer and more colorful than any other MS66+ on the market. Not to mention this coin's impeccable pedigree! There is simply no better time to buy a gold rarity like this.

PCGS # 8754 | EST: \$10,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 438

\$10 1905 PCGS MS65 CAC

Splendid orange-gold color throughout with undisturbed luster and a bold strike. Not many of this type survive at the gem level, and collector pressure is always high when these turn up. Highly original and wonderfully preserved.

PCGS 19, NGC 18, CAC 5. The CoinFacts price for this grade is \$6,700.00 and this lovely specimen should bring close to that number! Don't miss out if you desire fresh, original coins!

PCGS # 8757 | EST: \$5,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 439

\$10 1907 INDIAN NO MOTTO PCGS MS66

Outstanding quality for this first year of issue of the new Saint-Gaudens design. The obverse and reverse show blazing Mint luster with classic greenish-gold tinges when examined. The surfaces are absolutely amazing for this series. A perfect selection for the type or date specialist!

PCGS 137, NGC 175. A similar coin at auction brought \$9,400.00 (8/15) and this one should do as well or better. High-end gold like this never goes out of style, but once in a while, such as now, it does go on sale. Now is the time to stock up on these spectacular coins.

PCGS # 8852 | EST: \$7,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.





LOT 440

\$10 1911 PCGS MS63 CAC

Handsome quality for this date and a coin which rarely earns CAC approval, so bear that in mind when figuring your bid.

PCGS 1,727, NGC 1,811, CAC 115. Recent auction prices are for \$999.00 (9/15), but this one should do better with CAC approval.

PCGS # 8868 | EST: \$800.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 442

\$10 1913 PCGS MS64

Especially flashy and bright with handsome Mint color and a touch of green in the luster. Highly original, appealing and boldly struck.

PCGS 300, NGC 321. The most recent auction price for this date and grade is \$1,763.00 (11/15) and prior records are higher. Let's see how this lovely example does.

PCGS # 8873 | EST: \$1,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 441

\$10 1912-S PCGS AU58 CAC

Bright and lustrous with a mere whisper of wear on the highest design points. The surfaces are clean with minimal circulation evidence and just a couple of minor marks are found when closely examined.

PCGS 266, NGC 453, CAC 21. No recent offerings of a CAC approved coin, but a non CAC coin recently sold for \$999.00 (10/15).

PCGS # 8872 | EST: \$900.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 443

\$10 1913 PCGS MS65+ CAC EX HARBOR VIEW

Amazing quality for the connoisseur who appreciates radiant Mint luster, delicate copper highlights and outstanding surfaces. The devices and fields are as close to perfection as anyone could hope to find. There are only five coins graded as MS65+ and fifteen finer according to those seen by PCGS which puts this one into pretty clear perspective on how fabulous it truly is.

PCGS 64, NGC 89, CAC 19. The most recent auction record for this grade is \$10,575.00 (4/15) but that coin did not have CAC approval. This one will most certainly bring more.

PCGS # 8873 | EST: \$10,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 444

\$10 1932 PCGS MS64 CAC

Well struck throughout, with soft satin luster in the fields and frost on the devices. Minimal signs of bag handling are present, keeping the surfaces attractive and the entire coin close to the gem grade. This is the only readily obtainable gold coin from the early 1930s and as such is popular with both type collectors and investors alike.

PCGS 9,853, NGC 12,202, CAC 868. Scarce with CAC approval! One recent sale of a PCGS MS64 CAC coin landed on \$1,645.00 (6/15) and this should be worth a similar amount if not more.

PCGS # 8884 | EST: \$1,400.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 445

\$20 1865-S PCGS AU58 CAC EX BROTHER JONATHAN 958

Flashy and bright, with ample satin luster to please they eye, and a bold strike that makes examination of the devices a pleasure. Furthermore, only a touch of wear is present, and handling marks are at a minimum. A previously scarce date in this condition until the recovery of the gold from the Brother Jonathan shipwreck, and now highly collectible.

PCGS 39, NGC 116, CAC 6. One recent sale is noted of \$4,406.00 (4/14) but that coin did not have CAC approval. There is much variation at this grade level based on the quality of the surfaces combined and eye appeal. The present example is particularly pleasing, with greenish gold color and ample luster. It is also housed in the original PCGS holder. This is your chance to own a genuine gold coin from a sunken treasure ship!

**PCGS # 8944 | EST: \$5,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.**

LOT 446

\$20 1904 NGC MS65+ CAC

Outstanding quality with strong satin luster and excellent surfaces.

Rarely are these large Coronet Double Eagles found so well preserved, as the open fields and Miss Liberty's cheek are normally quite abraded by bag handling. So when a splendid gem like this appears, it makes us take notice. Don't miss out if you're looking for quality, eye appeal, and CAC approval!

PCGS 4,837, NGC 6,688, CAC 397. Of course, only a modest number of those noted offer the "+" designation and fewer still have CAC approval! A similar NGC MS65+ brought \$3,760.00 (9/15) but did not have CAC approval. This one should be worth more!

**PCGS # 9045 | EST: \$3,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.**

LOT 447

\$20 1904 PCGS MS66+ CAC

This coin is the cream of the crop for 1904 \$20 gold! This is truly a borderline MS67 and it's hard to tell what holds it back from an even loftier grade! This coin has remarkably clean, velvety smooth surfaces, and a full, booming cartwheel luster which lights up the original, even, spotless gold color. Miss Liberty and the details are frosty and have crisp, stand out strikes. The eye appeal is great!

PCGS 188, NGC 271, CAC 32. PCGS has graded only eight coins in MS66+ and two in MS67. No PCGS MS66+ CAC pieces have ever sold at auction, but the current Collectors Universe value is \$27,500.00. This coin is more than worthy of that figure.

PCGS # 9045 | EST: \$17,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.





LOT 448

\$20 1907 HIGH RELIEF WIRE EDGE PCGS AU55

Handsome orange-gold luster throughout, and of course with the expected prodigious strike on all the design elements. The surfaces show a trace of rubbing on the high points and a few minor handling marks. Essentially all the appeal of a choice example for a bargain price!

PCGS 220, NGC 67. The most recent auction price is \$9,988.00 (11/15) for this date and grade.

**PCGS # 9135 | EST: \$8,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.**

LOT 449

\$20 1908 NO MOTTO WELLS FARGO PCGS MS66+ CAC

Incredible quality and a coin for the ages! Before the stunning Wells Fargo Hoard was discovered gems of this issue were few and far between. Now type and date collectors have a field day buying coins that no one even thought existed! Here is one of the stunning gems that sits on the cusp of the superb grade. Radiant Mint luster and a solid strike, with super clean surfaces as expected. Spot free and completely desirable.

PCGS 8,511, NGC 6,265, CAC 279. The sight unseen wholesale bid for this coin was \$3,350.00 (11/20). Quality like this never goes out of style!

**PCGS # 9142 | EST: \$3,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.**



LOT 450

\$20 1909/8 PCGS MS62 CAC

A scarce overdate and one that is entirely obvious when the coin is examined. The 9 is clearly punched over the 8, and this was done during the process of making the die, where master design hubs were used. Somehow the 1908 hub was struck in first, then the 1909 hub was used and the blunder was set in steel. Best of all no one noticed and one of the few and most dramatic overdates on our gold coinage was born. Here is a handsome example.

PCGS # 538, NGC 356, CAC 27. This is a really tough issue to earn CAC approval! The most recent auction record stands at \$2,585.00 (2/15) and this one should bring more.

PCGS # 9151 | EST: \$2,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 451

\$20 1914-D PCGS MS65+

Exceptional greenish gold tinges around the rims and full copper-gold to the centers. The strike is bold throughout, and the surfaces are pleasing with little more than a few tiny nicks from bag handling. As original and fresh as any collector could hope to acquire for this date and Mint.

PCGS 1,021, NGC 567. There are only six coins that offer the "+" for the MS65 grade, and 68 noted finer in the PCGS Population Report. The most recent auction for an MS66+ coin realized \$5,288.00 but that coin also has CAC approval. This current Collectors Universe value is \$2,950.00 and this one should be worth about that much, especially for its elegant originality.

PCGS # 9165 | EST: \$2,500.00+
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LOT 452

\$20 1926-S PCGS MS65

A prized rarity for the date and Mint specialist who demands gem quality and vast originality. The centers are classic rose gold and are offset by the deeper greenish-gold that extends well into the fields of the obverse. The reverse is well matched, with vibrant luster and glorious quality. Fully struck too, with no signs of softness on any of the design elements. The surfaces are splendid, with nary a nick or bagmark to be found, especially in the open fields. There are the usual light nicks on Miss Liberty's legs, as these high points received what little jostling occurred in the shipping process. Rarely are these mintmarked dates found this original and attractive.

The double eagle issue of 1926-S suffered from the usual indignities of its other brethren from the Denver and San Francisco Mints of this period. Most of the production struck ended up housed in United States Treasury vaults awaiting eventual orders. The commercial orders for these coins never materialized and after 1933 the coins were gathered up and shipped off to Fort Knox to be melted into gold bricks. So, despite a mintage of 2,041,500 pieces this is today a rather scarce issue, with the total numbers certified just under 1,500 pieces in all grades between the two major grading services. Virtually all of the known surviving examples of this date and mint are Mint State, or very close to it. This example is one of the finest pieces with a meager 33 graded this high and four finer.

PCGS 33, NGC 24. A recent auction appearance of a similar PCGS MS65 coin realized \$17,625.00 (1/15) which seems low compared to prior offerings of this grade. This desirable coin will no doubt earn the attention it deserves.

PCGS # 9185 | EST: \$17,000.00+



LOT 453

50C 1936 ALBANY PCGS MS67+ CAC

Glorious russet gold at the periphery and boldly struck by the dies. The centers are bright silver with glowing luster, especially on the obverse. PCGS has graded only eleven with a total of three finer, all at MS68.

PCGS 166, NGC 151, CAC 60. The last auction record for an MS67+ was \$1,293.00 (9/15) and this splendid superb gem should bring even more for its eye popping toning.

PCGS # 9227 | EST: \$1,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 454

50C 1937 ANTIETAM PCGS MS67 CAC

Soft golden toning from the original tab holder with the imprint on the reverse, while the obverse shows a simple ring of orange russet. Blazing luster and sharp.

PCGS 320, NGC 187, CAC 95. The last of these to trade at auction brought \$1,087.00 (7/15) and this coin will bring that and more with CAC approval.

PCGS # 9229 | EST: \$900.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 455

50C 1936 CLEVELAND PCGS MS67 CAC

Dusky gold iridescence on both sides with evidence of vibrant luster. Scarce!

PCGS 80, NGC 72, CAC 43. The most recent auction price for a Cleveland in MS67 is \$1,293.00 (9/15).

PCGS # 9288 | EST: \$900.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 456

50C 1892 COLUMBIAN PCGS MS67

The obverse is toned with deep, rich jewel tones that include emerald green, crimson, and blue while the reverse is lighter with rainbow bands at the periphery of teal, orange and gold. Well struck on both sides, and showing minimal handling marks. A condition rarity at this grade level, and exceeded by no more than a handful marginally better at best.

PCGS 34, NGC 48. A recent auction sale of a similar but less intensely toned coin realized \$3,290.00 (9/15). This one should be worth more for the richness of the toning and handsome quality.

PCGS # 9296 | EST: \$5,500.00+



LOT 458

50C 1935 CONNECTICUT PCGS MS66

OGH. Essentially white with blazing luster and just a dash of light gold toning. Clean and attractive!

PCGS 562, NGC 461. A recent auction record for this issue and grade is \$470.00 (10/15).

PCGS # 9299 | EST: \$400.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 457

50C 1893 COLUMBIAN PCGS MS67

Glorious teal, copper and gold toning spans both sides of this majestic Commemorative Half Dollar. The luster is strong and vibrant, and the strike is sharp. Clearly this jewel stands above the majority of survivors, as only a few dozen exist at the superb or finer grade level, and rarely do they have this incredible eye appeal. The mintage for the year tallied 1,548,300 pieces, but a good many of these ended up in circulation as unsold at the Columbian Exposition.

PCGS 20, NGC 36. We sold a similar coin with CAC approval for \$9,106.00 (9/15) at this grade level. There are only two examples technically finer at PCGS, both with the "+" designation so don't miss out if you desire a high-end toned superb gem!

PCGS # 9297 | EST: \$7,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 459

50C 1936 ELGIN PCGS MS67 CAC

Classic satiny gold toning throughout with a few tiny flecks of deeper russet shades. The strike is sharp and the surfaces are absolutely gorgeous and free of any detracting marks.

PCGS 217, NGC 156, CAC 65. Tough to find these with CAC approval so don't miss out. A recent auction record for a CAC coin at this grade hit \$589.00 (9/15). This one is both wholesome and original, and we expect it to do quite well.

PCGS # 9303 | EST: \$450.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 460

50C 1922 GRANT STAR PCGS MS66+ CAC

Bright and lustrous with a handsome dollop of russet and blue toning around the rims. The strike is sharp and the surfaces super clean for the grade. A tough issue to find this well preserved! PCGS has only graded seven in MS66+ and importantly only five finer--all as MS67.

PCGS 42, NGC 58, CAC 10. The CoinFacts website lists this value at this lofty grade as \$16,500.00 and that seems reasonable for a high-end coin like this!

PCGS # 9307 | EST: \$11,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 461

50C 1918 LINCOLN PCGS MS67+

Mostly white and lustrous with a deep, rich band of intense jewel toning around the rim of the obverse and reverse. Exceptionally appealing toning, and worthy of a significant premium. The strike is sharp and the surfaces are a delight to examine, with luster dancing across the fields with the playful colors drawing in the eye to linger. A tough coin to find this nice, and downright rare any finer with just two pieces reported at PCGS above this grade level.

PCGS 122, NGC 83. There are just nineteen pieces with the "+" designation graded by PCGS. The most recent auction appearance for this grade came in at \$2,585.99 (9/15) but that coin was white and lacked the considerable character of this eye pleasing example. Clearly it should bring considerably more than that price.

PCGS # 9320 | EST: \$3,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 462

50C 1936 LONG ISLAND PCGS MS67 CAC

This awesome Long Island commemorative half dollar has both the quality and eye appeal that collectors crave, not to mention clean surfaces that are loaded with luster. The obverse is completely covered by original golden brown/pale violet/green/pale red colors, while the reverse displays similar colors in a tab pattern. All the details are sharply struck and the eye appeal is gorgeous!

PCGS 60, NGC 78, CAC 44. These have sold anywhere from \$3,760.00 up to \$7,650.00 over the past year, but our estimate is based on this coin's terrific color!

PCGS # 9322 | EST: \$3,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 463

50C 1920 MAINE PCGS MS66 CAC

Booming white luster throughout with a bold strike and super clean surfaces. The early commemoratives, like this Maine issue, are tough to find this well preserved as most were sold to non numismatic sources and carelessly handled. A satisfying coin!

PCGS 435, NGC 321, CAC 135. A recent auction record of \$447.00 (7/15) but that coin was not CAC approved like this one.

PCGS # 9326 | EST: \$400.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 464

50C 1920 MAINE PCGS MS67 CAC

Toned with gorgeous original tawny gold and russet. The strike is bold throughout and the surfaces satin smooth with virtually no disturbances. Tough to find this nice and rare any finer!

PCGS 44, NGC 39, CAC 25. A recent auction appearance of a CAC approved PCGS MS67 brought \$3,290.00 (9/15) so this one should bring that price or more.

PCGS # 9326 | EST: \$3,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 465

50C 1921 MISSOURI 2X4 PCGS MS66 CAC

This is a fabulous, high-end MS66 Missouri 2X4! Most of what has been available over the past few years has been very disappointing, but this coin has got it all. The surfaces rank among the cleanest and smoothest we've ever seen on these and both sides enjoy a booming luster similar to what you'd find on Morgans! There is light, natural golden brown/pale reddish gold toning scattered over the deep silver surfaces. Most importantly, the details are well struck and the eye appeal is fabulous!

PCGS 33, NGC 61, CAC 8. PCGS and NGC have graded a lone MS66+ higher and it just recently sold for a staggering \$70,500.00 (10/15). True gem Missouri 2X4 commemoratives are extremely rare, and prior to 2015 we can't find a single record of any PCGS CAC MS66 selling at auction. This coin will be a welcome addition to any top set, even for the pickiest of collectors.

PCGS # 9331 | EST: \$5,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 466

50C 1938 NEW ROCHELLE SPECIMEN NGC MS66

This is a very rare format with wholly Prooflike fields throughout. The surfaces are satin smooth too, and the coin is fully brilliant. The strike is absolute and precise as one would expect for a Specimen striking. NGC has graded only thirteen such New Rochelles and this is one of the finer ones seen. An outstanding opportunity to secure a truly great rarity and one that is destined for an advanced Commemorative silver collection.

PCGS 0, NGC 6. The price will best be determined by the rarity of this piece and the amazing eye appeal. If you demand a prized Specimen then here is an opportunity to acquire one!

PCGS # 9335 | EST: \$5,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 467

50C 1936 NORFOLK PCGS MS68

Bright and fresh, with a dusting of pale gold blending with iridescence from long storage. The strike is sharp and the surfaces are simply amazing to study, as they are free of all but a few microscopic ticks. The eye appeal is intense!

PCGS 194, NGC 104. A similar PCGS MS68 example brought \$940.00 (2/15) and this one should be worth a similar price.

PCGS # 9337 | EST: \$750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 468

50C 1936 OREGON PCGS MS68 CAC

Tied for the finest certified of this date with just seven in all. Splendid deep russet and blue toning around the rims with the centers bright silver. Boldly struck and exceptional preservation for this highly collectible gem. Rarely are these found so well preserved, and with such extraordinary appeal.

PCGS 7, NGC 6, CAC 10. The most recent auction price for a PCGS MS68 CAC is \$11,163.00 (9/15). Quality like this always commands a well deserved premium, and here is a simply amazing example.

PCGS # 9345 | EST: \$9,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 469

50C 1937-D OREGON PCGS MS68 CAC

Exceptional satin luster graced by sunset gold toning on both sides. The strike is full and sharp, and the surfaces are incredible. A loupe can scarcely find any signs of contact. This is one of the finest 1937-D Oregon Half Dollars and is tied with a select group at this majestic grade level.

PCGS 54, NGC 80, CAC 30. A similar CAC approved coin sold for \$1,528.00 (9/15) but this example has more attractive and intense toning.

PCGS # 9347 | EST: \$1,250.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 470

50C 1937 ROANOKE NGC MS66 PL CAC

This is a very rare format for the Roanoke Commemorative Half Dollar, as a mere handful exhibit the Prooflike designation, and this is one of the finer examples that does so. Less than two percent of those seen offer this degree of reflectivity! This example is vibrant white, with full mirror like reflectivity in the fields while the devices are more satiny and textured. This effect is present on both the obverse and reverse. A condition rarity that is destined for an advanced collection.

PCGS 0, NGC 11, CAC 2. PCGS does not recognize the Prooflike designation on this series. There are only two CAC examples at this grade level and none finer with CAC approval, so this example is certainly quite desirable.

PCGS # 9367 | EST: \$1,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 471

50C 1937 ROANOKE PCGS MS67+ CAC

Exceptional album toning with rich teal and russet around the rim of the obverse and reverse, with centers satiny with luster and a hint of golden patina. The eye appeal nudges out the quality by a nose, and both as a delight to behold. Ample luster and a bold strike top off this elegant Roanoke half dollar.

PCGS 364, NGC 282, CAC 144. The most recent auction price for an MS67+ is \$881.00 (9/15).

PCGS # 9367 | EST: \$750.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 472

50C 1935 SPANISH TRAIL PCGS MS67+ CAC

Bright silver and highly lustrous with a hint of teal in the fields. The strike is bold throughout and the eye appeal strong for this challenging issue. PCGS has graded only ten pieces as MS67+ and there are only two finer, both at MS68. Hence this is one of the absolute best Spanish Trail Commemorative halves that can be obtained at any price.

PCGS 154, NGC 121, CAC 58. The CoinFacts value is listed as \$5,450.00 and there have been no auction appearances for this grade. An important offering!

PCGS # 9376 | EST: \$4,000.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 473

50C 1946-S BOOKER T. WASHINGTON PCGS MS67 CAC

Toned with vibrant pastel hues that span the bright iridescent shades. Notice the yellow, teal and rose shades that span the entire obverse and reverse. The strike is sharp and the surfaces are outstanding in every regard. A prize for the specialist!

PCGS 98, NGC 108, CAC 63. A similar example with less toning but CAC approval landed at \$447.00 (6/15) so this considerably more attractive coin should bring more.

PCGS # 9406 | EST: \$450.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 475

50C 1952-S WASHINGTON-CARVER PCGS MS66 CAC

Full blazing luster, silvery white, and just a mere whisper of patina. The surfaces are satin smooth and attractive for this high grade gem.

PCGS 191, NGC 161, CAC 60. Scarce this nice! One recent auction record for a non CAC piece brought \$282.00 (9/15), but this piece should be worth more.

PCGS # 9436 | EST: \$225.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 474

50C 1950-S BOOKER T. WASHINGTON PCGS MS67 CAC

Lightly toned with finely patterned gold and russet likely from the original paper holder. The strike is sharp and the surfaces are far better than usually encountered.

PCGS 55, NGC 73, CAC 46. A similar offering of this grade and issue with CAC approval brought \$764.00 (8/15) and this one should be worth that.

PCGS # 9422 | EST: \$650.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.



LOT 476

\$1 1836 J-60 ORIGINAL MEDAL ALIGNMENT PCGS PR61

Handsome quality for this ever popular rarity! The obverse and reverse are bright silver with a dash of peripheral blue and gold. Both the fields and devices show the expected die polish which produces the reflective nature of a Proof coin. The surfaces are free of any deep or detracting marks and while this one was wiped long ago, the patina blends in well with the overall presentation of the quality. The obverse design was quite simple, a full figure of Miss Liberty seated on a rock and holding her cap of freedom surmounted high on a pole, this being the symbol of freedom since Roman times. The date is placed below. This produces a cameo effect as there are no stars or legends surrounding Miss Liberty. The reverse is just the opposite, with a handsome eagle in full flight with wings outstretched. The eagle is surrounded 26 stars, legends, and value. While considerably more of a "busy" design, it is nonetheless quite elegant as well. Sadly these were only struck in tiny numbers so few collectors are able to acquire one, but if you have always wanted a handsome specimen then here is a perfect selection.

PCGS 6, NGC 24. There are no recent auction records for this issue in PR61, but the CoinFacts estimate is \$26,500.00, which seems reasonable for this amazing historic coin.

PCGS # 11226 | EST: \$17,500.00+
This coin is being sold with no reserve.

LOT 477

50C 1865 J-432 PCGS PR64RB EX LARRY SHEPHERD COLLECTION

R-7. This is the regular dies trial piece struck in copper instead of silver. The obverse is the familiar Liberty Seated design while the reverse is the regular eagle with legends.

This was not one of the experimental pieces testing the various proposed Mottos above the eagle. The color is elegant with purplish tints over copper crimson. Boldly struck throughout and exceptional to retain a grade so close to gem. There are no specks or spots, and the mirror fields are wonderfully reflective. There are perhaps ten of these known, and this is clearly one of the finer examples to survive.

PCGS 2, NGC 0. There are auction records for any RB pieces of this pattern issue and the only known RD example has not sold in fourteen years. The closest we can find is an PR66BN example that sold for \$5,750.00 (4/10) which is dated but gives some guidance.

Obviously the richer color here is worth a premium but the surface quality is not quite as nice as the PR66. Regardless, this is an important opportunity to acquire a rarely offered Pattern in one of the top grades known.

PCGS # 60617 | EST: \$5,000.00+
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